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## PUBLIC APATHY DEFEATS BY-LAWS

### PARKS AND LIBRARY ARE DOUBLE-CROSSED

#### Only Small Fraction of Voters Take Trouble to Exercise the Franchise

The result of the voting on the five great money bylaws which were submitted for the approval of the people of Victoria yesterday is significant of but one thing, and that is the general apathy which at times marks the public in regard to matters that most immediately concern themselves.

W. W. Northcott, the returning officer, made the official returns to the council last night. These were received with rapturous silence by the aldermen. Even those whose schemes had been safely piloted through the rocks of indifference could not enthuse over the figures recorded. The following results show how three of the by-laws, sewers, schools, and market improvement, passed, and how the parks and library bylaws failed.

**Passed**

The sewer by-law to raise $300,000 for sewer extension and $50,000 for surface drainage extensions:

For ..... 533
Against ..... 62

Total vote cast, 597; spoiled, 2; three-fifths of total votes cast to carry measure, 369; by-law carried by 164.

School loan by-law to borrow $150,683 for school additions and extensions:

For ..... 429
Against ..... 154

Total vote cast, 583; three-fifths of total vote cast, 339; by-law carried by 90.

To change market building into police headquarters:

For ..... 406
Against ..... 174

Spoiled, 1; total ballot, 581; majority for the by-law on the three-fifths percentage, 68.

**Failed**

Parks loan by-law:

For ..... 337
Against ..... 237

Total ballots cast, 574; three-fifths of vote cast is 342; lost by-law by 5 votes.

Library by-law:

For ..... 319
Against ..... 247

Total ballot cast, 570; spoiled, 4; lost by 23 votes.

To be lost by seven votes was the melancholy tale of the Parks bylaw. While the magnificent apathy of the public in regard to the matter—not merely of one but of all the bylaws—must be considered as the primary cause of the failure, there were other and subsidiary influences at work. As the figures so palpably disclose only an incalculable fraction of those entitled to vote took the trouble to go to the poll. That, of course, was the real danger. Nearly everyone took it for granted that the bylaws would pass en bloc and that it was a waste of time to record a superfluity of votes. On the other hand everyone who had the slightest objection to the by-laws went out of his way to vote against them. These circumstances lent themselves admirably to the influences which were known to be fermenting in the council against the Parks bylaw.

Those who voted against the Parks bylaw may be considered as guilty of either one of three things, selfishness, near-sightedness, or intrigue. Of the first and last it is unnecessary to speak. The near-sighted ones, however, are deserving of more consideration. Many of them thought that the scheme was too extensive and ambitious for a city like Victoria, and consequently were not prepared to vote for what they considered superfluous expenditure. There were others who could not see why the scheme should call for a park in the James Bay district when Beacon Hill was on the map. But that cannot be held as justifying them in killing the bylaw. Open spaces in a growing city are cardinal necessities.

Alderman Humber, who was responsible for the Parks bylaw, expressed the view that those who lent their aid in defeating the measure will have reason to regret their action in a very short time. The acquisition of land for parks will in a few years be much more difficult and expensive than it is to-day. Of the actual votes polled he could only speak in terms of unqualified disgust. In his own words, "when 237 votes can break up a bylaw in a city possessing a population of fifty thousand people there is something wrong and it is about time to get out." It is probable that the alderman will take steps to have the bylaw passed on a petition. It is understood that this course can be followed within sixty days from the defeat of the measure at the poll.

The failure of the Library bylaw to obtain the necessary percentage of votes is a poor compliment to the interest which the citizens take in this educational institution. It was proposed under the bylaw to bring the library into something like conformity with the other similar institutions on the continent by the elimination of un-

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## MOVEMENT FOR ARBITRATION

### PROPOSAL OPEN TO GERMAN GOVERNMENT

#### United States Expresses Willingness to Enter Into Negotiations

Washington, D. C., May 23.—The German government was made aware by the United States that the same general arbitration proposition submitted to Great Britain and France is open to Germany if that country is interested.

This was learned yesterday at the state department, where it was reiterated that the tentative draft now in the hands of Great Britain and France constitutes a basis on which this country is prepared to enter into negotiations with any power desiring to do so.

The draft, it was added, was sent to Great Britain and France simply because those governments had indicated their desire to discuss the question of negotiating a broad convention along the lines laid down by President Taft in his speech last December. There has been informal discussion between United States and Japan on the new question, but Japan has not yet definitely made known her intention.

Berlin, May 23.—The Woolf Telegraph Bureau, in an official statement issued to-day, confirms the announcement published here yesterday of the declared willingness of the American government to enter into negotiations with Germany for a general arbitration treaty on lines similar to the proposal submitted by the United States to Great Britain and France.

"The German government," the statement says, "has received the announcement with interest."

## MERGER OF FURNACE MANUFACTURING FIRMS

#### Consolidation of Nine Concerns With Capital of Over Nine Million Dollars

Chicago, May 23.—A merger of nine of the largest furnace manufacturing concerns in the country has been effected, according to an announcement made yesterday. A. W. Williamson of Cincinnati will be president of the new company, which is capitalized at $9,500,000.

It is said arrangements to form the merger had been completed before the handing down of the Standard Oil decision a week ago and the promoters were only waiting for the Supreme Court ruling before announcing their plans. The headquarters of the new concern will be in Chicago.

### ENTIRE FAMILY KILLED.

#### Horse Drags Buggy in Front of Trolley Car and Occupants are Crushed to Death.

Newark, O., May 23.—The entire family of D. W. Dodson of Hebron was wiped out when an interurban car on the Newark division of the Ohio Electric railroad struck their buggy and killed Dodson, Mrs Dodson and their two little girls, aged 7 and 4.

When the mother was picked up she was dead. The younger child died almost immediately. Dodson died while being taken to a physician, and the elder child passed away a few hours later.

According to railway officials, the Dodsons were riding along the highway, which flanks the electric line a mile west of Hebron, and were passing a car when their horse became frightened and plunged across the track.

Motorman Bell was unable to stop his car in time to prevent the collision.

### CEMENT PRICES.

#### Manager of Canadian Company Denies There Will Be Advance in Near Future.

Montreal, May 23.—F. P. Jones, manager of the Canadian Cement company, speaking of the statement attributed to a Winnipeg newspaper that there would be a big rise in cement prices in the near future, said that was not the case. Mr. Jones says that as a matter of fact if there is any change in these prices at all, it will be in a downward direction.

### REJECTED LOVER'S SUICIDE.

#### Arranges For Funeral and Then Drinks Carbolic Acid.

Pana, Ills., May 23.—Whitney McCullom of Chicago came to this city, wrote a letter of farewell to his parents saying he was taking his life because his sweetheart had rejected him and named his pallbearers, selected the hymns, the minister and the church for his funeral services and then drank carbolic acid, dying shortly afterwards.

"PEACE ON EARTH"— San Francisco Evening Post.

## CORRAL WILL FOLLOW DIAZ

### MEXICAN VICE-PRESIDENT TENDERS RESIGNATION

#### Cientifico Party Threatens to Make Trouble in the Republic

Juarez, May 23.—A telegram was received by Francisco I. Madero, Jr., today from Alfred Robles Dominguez, special peace envoy in Mexico City, stating that the resignation of Vice-president Corral had been tendered.

The news was taken to mean that Vice-president Corral's resignation was required to precede that of Diaz, which is expected to-day or to-morrow. When President Diaz resigns Senator Madero and his party immediately will leave for Mexico City to confer with Senor De La Barra in the re-organization of the government.

Peace reigns supreme in northern Mexico, where news of the signing of a peace agreement has penetrated. The only disquieting reports of the day were private advices from Mexico City that members of the Cientifico party, deposed because of the Maderist movement, were thinking of starting another revolution against the latter. Trouble from the Cientifico element, it is admitted here, is expected, but whether or not it will take the form of armed revolution after Madero assumes power is not yet clear. It is not thought that the Mexican people will rally to any revolutionary movement for some time at least, and the opposition from the Cientificos, it is believed, really will be in the nature of vigorous political activity. The insurrecto troops may be kept at their various garrisons in Mexico for a few months, in readiness for trouble, but no definite plans along that line have been formed by Senor Madero.

Senor Madero and his political chiefs yesterday discussed the make-up of the new cabinet, which is to surround Senor De La Barra, the incoming provisional president. Those who have accepted portfolios thus far are: Minister of hacienda (finance), Ernesto Madero; minister of fomento (promotion of colonization and industry), Emanuel Calero; minister of communication (public utilities), Manuel Bonilla; minister of public instruction, Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez; minister of gobernacion (interior administration), Emilio Vasquez Gomez.

The portfolio of minister of justice, which has been offered to Senor Vasquez Tagle, a well known lawyer in Mexico City, has not yet been accepted by him on account of ill-health. General Rascon is still the choice for minister of war.

## FRENCH PREMIER PASSES GOOD NIGHT

#### M. Monis Overcome When Informed of Death of Minister of War

Paris, May 23.—Premier Monis, who so narrowly escaped death at the opening of the Paris-to-Madrid aviation race on Sunday when Train's monoplane dashed into a group of official spectators and killed Minister of War Berteaux, passed a good night. In fact the premier's condition was regarded so satisfactory that he was informed of Mr. Berteaux's.

When he asked as to the condition of M. Berteaux, a member of the cabinet replied: "all is over." For a moment it was feared that the shock was too much for the aged premier. He fell back in the bed, tears filling his eyes. Later, however, he recovered and talked of the qualities of M. Berteaux, who was an intimate friend of the premier as well as his associate in the cabinet.

## BRITISH STEAMER PROBABLY WRECKED

#### Empty Lifeboat Belonging to the Cayo Largo Picked Up by Cruiser

London, May 23.—The British armored cruiser Cumberland reported to-day by wireless to the Admiralty that she had picked up at the mouth of the English channel an empty lifeboat belonging to the overdue British steamer Cayo Largo.

The vessel life Swansea April 16 for Tampico and it is feared she foundered in the storms that followed her departure.

### MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Carmangay, Alta., May 23.—The town council is taking steps to instal a municipality-owned waterworks and electric light system. Already it has secured an option on the electric light plant owned by C. W. Carman, which lights the town at present.

## TWO SUSPECTED DYNAMITERS TAKEN

### OTHER ARRESTS ARE LIKELY TO BE MADE

#### Prisoners Alleged to Be Implicated in Attempt to Destroy Los Angeles Building

Los Angeles, Cal., May 23.—Bert H. Connert and John Mansel Parks, both said to be members, and the latter a former officer of the Los Angeles local union of the structural iron and bridge workers, were arrested yesterday by detectives working under the direction of District Attorney Fredericks, on a charge of being implicated in an attempt to destroy with dynamite the Los Angeles county hall of records last September, some weeks before the blowing up of the Times building.

Connors was taken into custody in the office of a steamship company where he was on the point of buying a ticket to Seattle. Parks was arrested later in the house of Connors.

Important developments are expected to-day. These developments were expected because of the secret meeting of the grand jury for the purpose of returning indictments against the accused men and against others, among them a woman said to have been implicated by statements credited to the pair now under arrest.

When the attempt was made to destroy the county buildings early on the morning of September 9, 1910, and Connors was arrested after striking the policeman who had accosted him, he was not formally charged with having tried to dynamite the structure, but a charge of assault was placed against him. After his release from jail his movements were traced through several western states and back to this city.

The finding of dynamite in a rear alleyway of the million-dollar hall of records in September was accepted at the time as an evidence of intention to destroy the building.

Connors and Parks were booked at the city prison to-day on a technical charge holding them under suspicion. The grand jury convened at 10 o'clock to take up the evidence in their cases.

### KILLS FIVE CHILDREN.

Bramlach, Saxony, May 23.—Driven temporarily insane by an accusation of theft, a woman here to-day killed her five children and then committed suicide.

## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

### NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Seattle—First inning: Tacoma, 0; Seattle, 0.
Second inning: No runs.
Third inning: No runs.
Fourth inning: No runs.
Batteries — Gordon and Burns; Dickinson and Shea.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

| At New York— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 2 | 7 | 1 |
| New York | 7 | 14 | 3 |

Batteries — Smith, Schreiber and Clarke; Mathewson and Myers.

| At Brooklyn— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 3 | 5 | 3 |
| Brooklyn | 4 | 6 | 2 |

Batteries — Camnitz and Gibson; Scanlon and Miller.

| At Boston— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 6 | 7 | 2 |
| Boston | 4 | 10 | 2 |

Batteries — Richie, Brown and Archer; Brown and Raridan.

| At Philadelphia— | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 12 | 13 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 4 | 8 | 1 |

Batteries—Harmon and Bresnahan; Beebe, Rowan, Brennan and Moran.

## CONFERENCE OPENS IN METROPOLIS

### ASQUITH PRESIDES AT FIRST SESSION

#### Fifteen Premiers and Ministers of Overseas Dominions in Attendance

London, May 23.—The Imperial conference, which has now practically assumed the dimensions of a grand council of the British Empire, opened the third series of its quadriennial deliberations to-day under the chairmanship of Premier Asquith at the Fireign Office. Besides the members of the Imperial cabinet, fifteen premiers and ministers of the over-seas dominions of the Empire engaged in discussing such knotty problems as the co-ordination of naval and land forces for Imperial defence, the Declaration of London as an Imperial court of appeals, an all-red transportation line to circle the globe and a future constitution of the British Empire. The hope is expressed that out of the discussion of the last topic may come some definite proposal for the federation of the Empire.

Anglo-American relationship is likely to be discussed in connection with the question of Imperial defence, as also is the part which the Australasian navies are to play in that defence, as Australia since the visit of the American fleet to that continent three years ago has come to regard America as a possible ally in the policing of the Pacific.

The fiscal question probably will take a back seat in the discussion in view of the determination of the home government to keep the door bolted against anything in the nature of Imperial preference.

The meetings of the conference are held in strict privacy, so that the public will have to be satisfied with the meagre stereotyped official fragments of the proceedings given out at the end of the day's work.

### SEATTLE BASEBALL TEAM.

#### Changes Will Be Made.—Tighe Seeking Two New Pitchers.

Seattle, Wash., May 23.—The Seattle team is to be shaken up like a fighting chicken in a bag in the hands of a sporty Cuban. Jack Kading is to go. That much is settled. A deal is all but closed for a couple of pitchers, a right hander and a left hander, and if they come, then a lot of heads will be lopped off. Seattle has a small army of pitchers, but Tighe knows the ability of two men he is dickering for and if he gets them, there will be a mighty chop order. He expects to know to-night whether or not he will get them. Kading has not been able to strike his stride. He has been turned back to Pittsburg.

Dugdale was busy by wire and telephone yesterday with McCredie, trying to land George Ort to play first base. He thought he had him, but McCredie has not come through with the confirmation. Ort is no slugger, but they say he can play a great game at first, and if he comes, the infield should be speeded up.

If Ort does not come, then Fred Weed will be put on first for the present and the hunt will be continued for a first baseman. Ort was promised to the Seattle club last summer, but he finished the season with Portland. He is being played in left field with Nick Williams' team now, as Miller, the slim left-hander, has not been hitting. The Seattle team is in a bad batting slump and in addition luck is breaking against them. Those who saw the games on Sunday and yesterday have no kick to make on the team and the general impression was that the boys will "come back" and shake off this run of bad luck.

### READY TO STRIKE.

London, May 23.—Notices were posted at the different ports throughout the United Kingdom to-day warning the seamen and firemen to be ready to strike on receipt of a signal to that effect. The direction on which signal is to be given is not divulged.

## THOUSANDS PLAN COMING across

### FIRST OF VICTORIA DAY EXCURSIONS REACH HERE

#### Programme to Suit Every Citizen Will Mark Celebration To-morrow

Besides the thousands of Victorians who will attend the festivities arranged for to-morrow, there will be upwards of three thousand visitors in this city. The number of excursionists who will come to this city from Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma, Everett, Anacortes, Bellingham and other points on the Sound to witness the celebrations for Victoria Day, will be the largest in the history of the twenty-fourth. The Capital has set a record as having the greatest celebrations on that day than any other city in Canada and this acts as a magnetic power in drawing many outsiders here every year.

The first of the excursions arranged by the Victoria Day Celebration Committee arrived here this afternoon shortly after 1 o'clock on the steamer Chippewa from Everett with about eight hundred pleasure seekers. The Chippewa left this port again at 5.30 o'clock this afternoon and to-morrow she will arrive here from Tacoma at 2.30 p. m., and returning leave two and a half hours later. On Thursday she will come from Anacortes and Bellingham, reaching here at 11.30 a. m. and returning at 7 p. m.

Excursions have also been arranged by the Canadian Pacific to bring excursionists from Vancouver to this city. The Princess Victoria and Princess Charlotte have been engaged to carry the visitors. The former will leave the Terminal City at 8 a. m., arriving here at noon, and the Princess Charlotte will leave at 9 a. m., arriving at 1 p. m. The Princess Victoria will return to Vancouver at 6 p. m., arriving there at 10 p. m., and the Princess Charlotte will sail at midnight. The Princess Adelaide is relieving the Royal on the night run to-night and the latter will carry an excursion party between Vancouver and Nanaimo to-morrow.

This evening the city band will give a programme through the principal streets of the city, beginning at the Dominion hotel at 7:30 o'clock. The Salvation Army band will begin a tour of the same district, playing in front of the fire hall at 8 o'clock and the Dominion hotel at 8:20, thence going on from point to point.

To-morrow's programme is:

9 a. m.—Lacrosse at Royal Athletic grounds, West End, Vancouver, vs. Victoria juniors.

9:30a. m.—Parade of Boy Scouts from Blanchard and Yates streets to Beacon Hill park.

9:30 a. m.—Parade of Decorated Autos from Cook and Pandora streets, to Beacon Hill park. Fire department will take part in this parade.

10:30 a. m.—Lacrosse at Royal Athletic grounds, New Westminster vs. Victoria.

2 p. m.—Regatta at the Gorge. A splendid programme has been arranged for the afternoon with a full entry for all events. Crews from the Imperial and Canadian navy will be present. The Indian entries are larger than ever. The Fifth Regiment band will be in attendance.

3 p. m.—Baseball at Royal Athletic grounds.

8 p. m.—Grand concert by Fifth Regiment band at Beacon Hill park which will be illuminated by Chinese lanterns.

9 p. m.—Display of fireworks by Hitt Brothers of Seattle.

Cricket games—Victoria "B" team vs. Vancouver 2nd XI. on Jubilee Hospital grounds. Albion 1st XI. vs. Nanaimo on Beacon Hill grounds.

## CONDITION OF UNREST IN PORTUGAL

#### Number of Persons Arrested for Spreading Alarmists Reports

Lisbon, May 23.—According to an official statement issued to-day a number of persons in various walks of life have been arrested in the northern part of Portugal charged with circulating alarmist reports. The prisoners were sent to three Portuguese cruisers lying off Oporto.

Marines on the cruisers have been landed to help the police, guard the banks in the province of Entre Minhoe Douse, bordering on the Spanish frontier.

The bluejackets of the Portuguese cruiser Adamaster, which landed at Oporto later, proceeded to Camina on the river Minho, to prevent the Monarchist conspirators at Tuy, a Spanish frontier town from crossing the river into Portugal.

Revolution Probable.

London, May 23.—It is reported that Portuguese residents of London late last night received advices of a counter-revolution against the Republican government. It is said an outbreak is likely at any moment at Lisbon and Oporto.

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# ROSS BAY SEA WALL MEETS WITH FAVOR

## HON W. TEMPLEMAN GIVES HEARTY SUPPORT

### G. H. Barnard, M. P., Also Promises to Give the Matter His Best Consideration

Letters promising hearty support at Ottawa to the scheme recently proposed by the city of Victoria for protecting the foreshore at Ross Bay cemetery by the erection of a sea wall were received from the Hon. W. Templeman, minister of mines, and G. H. Barnard, M. P., and read at the meeting of the city council last night. The letters were in reply to those sent by Aldermen Langley and Peden, who are looking after the project. Expressions of approval were accorded the replies received.

The dray stand which is located on Yates street is calling forth the objection of the merchants in the vicinity, and a petition is being prepared requesting the city council to have it removed. The petitioners, or rather prospective petitioners, claim that the traffic has become so congested in that particular area that the presence of the dray is a positive danger. Especially is this so in the case of fire, as they claim that it blocks the route which the fire brigade invariably takes in responding to calls from beyond that locality.

Protests against assessment are now trooping in from the property owners on Princess avenue, between Vancouver street and Chambers street. The work complained against is already done, and as no protest was made during the regulation fifteen days which the project had to survive before being started for the purpose of being protested against, it is now almost certain that the "protestants" will have to pay the piper. Their objection is based upon the fact that the drains which they petitioned for have not been installed. They were omitted in the by-law, but as the by-law was not objected to in proper order the city may hold the owners responsible.

Alderman Gleason, chairman of the streets committee, will shortly ask the city council to widen Government street between Belleville and Superior streets. That portion of the street has already been passed for paving, and he thinks that it would be advisable, in view of the certainty that business will shortly trend in that direction, that now is the time to have the street widened. It is understood that many of the property owners have signified their willingness to contribute about five feet of their property for the purpose, and the G. T. P., who are large owners in the district, will be approached with a view to obtaining the same terms.

—Steamer Don will leave Causeway for Gorge every hour on 24th inst.

# SIX NEGROES SHOT TO DEATH IN FLORIDA

### Band of Men Masquerading as Officers Secure Prisoners and Riddle Bodies With Bullets

Lake City, Fla., May 23.—Six negroes were lynched here early Sunday after a party of more than a dozen men, masquerading as officers, appeared at the county jail and secured possession of the men by presenting a bogus telegram to the 16-year-old son of the sheriff, ordering the release of the blacks to the alleged posse of officers. The negroes were being held for safekeeping on a charge of murdering B. B. Smith, a sawmill man of Wadesboro, Leon county, and wounding another man named Register.

The party came from Tallahasse to Lake City in automobiles, took the negroes about a mile from town, compelled them to stand abreast, and about ten men fired with rifles and pistols until every one of the prisoners were riddled with bullets. The firing lasted about half an hour, and at daybreak citizens found the negroes' mutilated bodies.

## THE PASSING SHOW

New Grand Theatre.

Nick Long and Idalene Cotton provide a headline act at the Grand this week, which at last night's shows met with an abundance of approval from audiences not slow to show appreciation. "Managerial Troubles," with Nick Long as "Holdemdown," the stage manager in difficulties regarding members of his company who sprain their knees or ears and cannot keep engagements. "Mme. McMullen," the Irish scrub-lady who sprains nothing except the author's intentions, has impersonations by Miss Cotton of Mrs. Fiske and Anna Held. The duo do the best of their work in their Italian sketch, with Idalene Cotton as Maria Risotto and Nick Long as Luigi Risotto, who describes a horse-race and wants to collect as he bet on a dead one because the dead one died in the straight.

The hobble skirt act of Speigel, in the duo of Speigel and Dunn, is lifelike and ludicrous. The duo are announced as specialists in cork. They open with a couple of songs and a clever dance. The close of the act is a riot of laughter, caused by the flirtation between Alexander and Magnolia, in the hobble skirt. Speigel sings the girl's part in a falsetto voice that is very tuneful.

Mann and Franks go from the sublime to the ridiculous, offering an act on the Bowery lines that pleased everyone. It is a singing travesty with a story of a dying soldier introduced to give it sublimity, and crowded with ridicule to provide the advertised contrast. It seemed last night the audience could not get enough of this couple and brought them back thrice.

The marvellous Nello is a conjurer and juggler who presents the old-time feats and some new ones, doing them all speedily and neatly, and having as complete a stage set as ever was brought here by a juggler. Mort Fox, the Hebrew humorist, has something to say about a wedding and says it. Then he sings a couple of songs and bows to the applause.

The Grandiscope pictures show a drama and a comedy.

### WANT MUNICIPAL LAUNDRY.

Vancouver, May 22.—The question of establishing a municipal laundry; the relations existing between union labor in the bakeries in the city and the owners of the establishments, as well as a very strong condemnation of Alderman Stevens' action in regard to the appointment of a bakeshop inspector, were some of the subjects that came up for discussion at the meeting of the Trades and Labor Council.

The first question arose out of a recommendation included in the report of the parliamentary committee, and aroused a great deal of discussion, in which many opinions condemning the laundries in the city were expressed. It was stated that the laundries would not permit the employment of union labor; that they made their employees work overtime; and that owing to the high prices charged, workingmen could not pay for laundry work. It was the unanimous opinion of the meeting that the city council should be approached in regard to the matter, and that they should be asked to submit the proposition to a referendum.

As a side issue from the same discussion, the question of the number of hours which it was legal for women to work was fully entered into, and much dissatisfaction expressed with the present factory act.

# NEARLY TWO HUNDRED KILLED AT JUAREZ

### Revised Estimates of Casualties in Mexican Town—Two Hundred and Fifty Wounded

Juarez, May 23.—Revised estimates of the casualties of the battle of Juarez place the total number killed at 180, with about 250 wounded. The federals are believed to have lost 150 in killed and 100 wounded, while the rebels lost 30 killed and 10 wounded.

Many of the dead were buried without knowledge of the commander of either side. Only physicians and surgeons who were first on the scene knew the story of the real number buried in wells and under houses. It was said by a physician yesterday that 65 federals had been found piled in a well after the first day's fighting, that 12 others were discovered on a roof and buried nearby before the battle ended. The wounded have been getting excellent treatment at the hands of the Mexican White Cross and the Red Cross, and only a half dozen deaths have been recorded since the battle ended.

The White Cross, under Miss Elena Arizmendi y Mejia, grand daughter of General Arizmendi, the former secretary of war, was first on the scene. It was organized when the Mexican Red Cross was alleged to have refused to aid insurrecto wounded.

The number of dead, it appears, was far out of proportion to the wounded, but General Viljoen, who fought with the Boers in South Africa, and has been military adviser to Senor Madero, declared yesterday that the heavy loss in killed was inevitable, on account of the close range of the fire.


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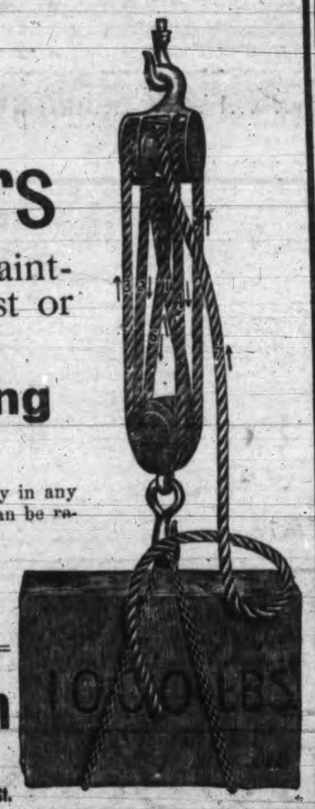


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# ALLEGED COMBINE IN LUMBER TRADE

## MISSOURI OUSTER SUIT IN PROGRESS

### Companies Charged With Curtailing Output in Order to Keep Up Prices

St. Louis, May 23.—That the big lumber companies agreed on a curtailment of production, that prices were fixed by a committee and that printed price lists were sent to all the firms as a means of controlling the market, was testified yesterday in the initial hearing of the state's ouster suit against the alleged lumber trust.

Asked about a meeting of the Southern Lumber Manufacturers' Association, which later was re-named the Yellow Pine Manufacturers' Association, at the world's fair in 1904, George K. Smith, secretary of the Yellow Pine Manufacturers' Association, said that the price list committee met in executive session in conjunction with the regular semi-annual gathering of the association. He testified from his records that the price list committee reported lumber was being cut faster than it was being shipped, that a large surplus resulted, and that as long as the surplus continued, "staple or advancing values would be impossible."

"A way must be found," the report continued, "to reduce the surplus and keep the supply in proportion to the demand."

The secretary's minutes of an executive session read: "It was thought advisable to recommend to all manufacturers a reduction of 33 1-3 per cent. in the output of all sawed lumber until such time as the demand should more nearly absorb the supply."

He said notices were sent to all members to reduce their output for 90 days, and that again before the expiration of the 90 day period, he sent another notice that curtailment should continue for 90 days more. He testified to the holding of seven committee meetings between June, 1904, and January, 1905. Asked whether these meetings all were held to raise prices, he said: "There were that many meetings of the committee at which it gave its opinion as to what prices ought to be."

Later he testified that the price committee's activities were discontinued by a vote of the association. The state tried to obtain an admission that this change was made in view of possible prosecution, and Smith partially admitted this, saying it was desired "to avoid the charge of collusion to fix prices."

Trade Congress.

Charges that the press persecuted the lumber trade for the last five years and that press and public are responsible for the investigation of the lumber interests by the department of justice were made by several delegates to the lumber trades congress yesterday. The discussion was over an effort of E. F. Perry of New York, representing the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers' Association, to have articles XVI. and XVII. stricken from the code of ethics, which the congress formulated for the trade at large. While he failed in this, a mild substitute was carried.

The sections of the code under fire are:

"It shall be the duty of the manufacturers and wholesalers to take an active interest in the marketing of their products through regular trade channels.

"It is the sense of the congress that the widest possible trade publicity be given for the purpose of making known irresponsible unethical and unscrupulous manufacturers, wholesalers and dealers."

A resolution was submitted by George S. Merrill of Salt Lake, Utah, to take the place of the articles.

The new section reads: "It should be recognized by lumber manufacturers and wholesalers that the retail distributors of lumber are a necessary factor in the trade and a useful servant of the public and as such should be recognized as the logical channel through which to market their products."

In the discussion before the vote, A. C. Garens of Homer, La., said the newspapers have "insulted and attacked" the lumber trade "in the most vile manner."

FLIES OVER PORTLAND.

Portland, Ore., May 23.—With rudder wires and steering gear absolutely useless, aviator Charles Walsh yesterday made an eight-mile circle over the residence part of the city, guiding his aeroplane solely by the use of the tilting planes, and gradually worked the machine back to the starting point. The feat was witnessed by thousands of enthusiastic persons who were wholly unaware of the aviator's predicament. Following his hazardous journey, Walsh made two perfect flights, carrying as passenger Roscoe Fawcett, a Portland newspaper man, in the final flight.


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## THINKING THEMES

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To read only what is easy to read is like eating nothing but mush. The mind is developed only by effort.

The world has lasted a long time and is very wise, much wiser than any one of us, and when, after twenty years of testing, the world says that such and such a book is worth while, it becomes you and me to read it, and, if we do not like it, to keep on reading it until we do like it.

There are certain realms of personal taste in which we have no rights. No intelligent person has a right to say he does not enjoy Homer or Dante or Shakespeare or Goethe. Such masters have passed beyond the bar of private judgment. They have become a part of great Nature herself. To say they do not appeal to us is merely a confession of a lack of culture. It is as if we should say we prefer red grass to green. It is very wonderful to see how a great genius, despised in his time, advances after he is dead to the undisputed sway of all men, until opposition ceases and he takes his throne by universal consent. Only one or two first-class musicians acknowledged the ability of Wagner living; no one would dare to question the supremacy of Wagner dead. Jesus was rejected by the crowd and executed by the authorities, but who to-day questions his moral grandeur or his spiritual dominion? When any man has won over the world, I cannot afford to turn away from him, but I should be very humble and teachable before him. If I cannot enjoy Bacon's essays, I must wrestle with them until they bless me.

# LEAPS TO DEATH FROM PASSENGER TRAIN

### C. P. R. Employee, Who Plunged Into River, Believed to Have Mistaken Location

Revelstoke, May 23.—Duncan Wilkins, a fitter's helper in the car shops here, stepped off No. 96 passenger train while standing on the bridge just west of the station at Sicamous and plunged to his death into Sicamous lake.

Despite the attempts of his comrades to find the body no trace of it has as yet been discovered. The deceased left this city on Friday night with an auxiliary train to pick up bad-order cars, and had apparently performed that duty and prepared to lay up at Sicamous for the night. When No. 96 came in from the west it is presumed he jumped on to the train to speak to a friend, and while aboard the train backed onto the bridge to switch, giving the right of way to No. 2 going west. While the train was standing on the bridge it is thought the deceased had mistaken the location and thought himself in the yards, and stepping off the train dropped into the lake. The bridge is railed for a considerable distance in the centre, but at either end it is unprotected.

Deceased had been in the employ of the shops here since April, 1909. He was 25 years of age, unmarried, and has a sister living here. His parents are supposed to be residing at Penticton, B. C.

EMPIRE PAGEANT.

Battle of Chateauguay Will Be Included in Programme.

London, May 23.—The Canadian pageant committee has arranged to include in the Festival of the Empire the scene depicting the battle of Chateauguay, the withdrawal of which has been resented by Canadians.

It was announced in April that the Canadian committee had decided to eliminate from the coronation programme Canada's principal contribution to the pageant, entitled "Chateauguay, which was held for the Empire," which was intended to represent the defeat, through strategy, of an invading American force in 1813 by a handful of Canadians.

It was thought that the pageant might wound the susceptibilities of American visitors and cause a feeling which would endanger the conclusion of the proposed Anglo-American arbitration treaty.

LORIMER INVESTIGATION.

Washington, D.C., May 23.—An immediate investigation of sweeping scope of the renewed charges that Senator Lorimer of Illinois is not entitled to his seat is provided for in two resolutions called up by Senators Dillingham and LaFollette in the senate yesterday.

Senator LaFollette called up his resolution and made a speech arraigning the Illinois senator, whom he charged with personal knowledge of the spending of money in behalf of his election.

Both the Democratic steering committee and the Republican members of the committee on privileges and elections discussed the charges, and Senator Dillingham, chairman of the elections committee, presented his resolution of inquiry as a substitute for the LaFolletate resolution.

COMPOSER'S FUNERAL.

Vienna, May 23.—In the presence of a great gathering, composed of the leading members of musical and artistic circles, Gustave Mahler, the eminent composer, who died May 18, was buried in the Grinzing cemetery here yesterday.


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### Former Mayor of San Francisco Loses Fortune in Cement Factory and Mines

San Francisco, Cal., May 23.—Former Mayor Schmitz, who escaped going to San Quentin prison with former Boss Abe Ruef by the slenderest legal technicality, and who is now at liberty on heavy bonds, has lost all his fortune. Schmitz is said to be dead broke, all his business ventures having gone wrong. He was poor when elected mayor, but is said to have quit very wealthy. When Schmitz was trying to get out of jail on bail he obtained the assistance of William J. Dingee, an Oakland capitalist. In turn Dingee induced Schmitz to invest money in a large cement factory near Santa Cruz, in this state. This company was dragged down into ruin when Dingee failed last year, and Schmitz lost every cent he had invested in it. Then the mine which Schmitz put considerable money into at Oroville, in Butte county, pinched out after showing some very rich ore.

In despair, Schmitz then started for Sinaloa, Mexico, where his brother is interested in some mines, but a letter was received by one of his old friends saying the mine is worthless and Schmitz is stranded and needs money to get out of the country and reach home. It is estimated Schmitz made half a million dollars, but the only thing that remains is a home which is in his wife's name. All the other property has taken wings.

TWO ARTISTS END LIVES.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 23.—Two well known artists—one a newspaper cartoonist and the other a magazine illustrator—ended their lives by shooting themselves, in this city.

Robert Clyde Swaze, at one time a well-known cartoonist, whose work appeared in the newspapers of Philadelphia, New York, San Francisco and other cities, killed himself in the home of his brother in this city. He had been in poor health for four years.

Frank Chamberlain, aged 34, a magazine illustrator, shot himself through the head in his room in West Philadelphia. His wife and three sisters were in an adjoining room. They believe he was rendered insane by the heat of the last few days.

RELEASED ON BAIL.

Juneau, Alaska, May 23.—F. W. Miles, a former Seattle policeman, who is said to be an important witness for the prosecution in the cases against ex-Chief of Police Wappenstein, of Seattle, indicted on four counts for alleged acceptance of bribes, was taken from the steamship Jefferson on her arrival from Seattle on Sunday by a deputy United States marshal, who had a fugitive warrant for the arrest of Miles. The ex-policeman spent Sunday in jail, but was released Monday on bail. Miles was on his way to Dawson.

COMMERCIAL TREATY.

Berlin, May 23.—The German government has just concluded a commercial treaty with Sweden.

Germany was handicapped in the negotiations from the fact that she had already given Sweden the advantage of all or nearly all the reductions made to other countries by existing treaties and had little or nothing left that used as counter. German manufacturers are pleased at the provisions against the export duty on iron from Sweden and included in the treaty. Germany imports $12,000,000 a year in Swedish ores.

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## VICTORIA DAY.

To-morrow the Canadian world will pause on its business axis long enough to do honor to the memory of England's greatest queen by the celebration of the day of her nativity. There can be no doubt that the fitting observance of the day has done much to keep alive in the present generation a wholesome appreciation of the personal qualities and sovereign influence of her whose memory it revives and it is unlikely that the day, as such a celebration, will ever pass out of Canadian history.

The Victorian era was undoubtedly the greatest era of the British Empire. There may be greater to come, but not for many generations. The transitions which took place during the sixty-three years of Victoria's reign, in the sciences, political economy, literary development, industrial progress and, above all, Empire building, have been the most marked of perhaps any similar period in the world's history. The most brilliant and rigidly conscientious statesmen were her advisors during her long sovereignty, and in the passing from the old to the newer civilization the foundations of a permanent heritage for the British people were well and truly laid.

Perhaps the celebration of the day in Canada has more to do with the deep and strong attachment of Canadian people to the person and throne of the sovereign and to essentially British institutions than any mere knowledge of history could evoke.

It may not be predicting too much to say that in the twenty-fifth century, if not before, we shall have a literary renaissance and the Victorian era will be as much the treasury of material for the novelist and philosophic historian as the Elizabethan or the Augustine age. More and more, as the mountain peaks of striking and epochmaking events in the history of the race stand out in the eventide of future years, will those sublime heights of achievement in the Victoria age take their proper perspective. And they will loom large above the horizon of the past.

In our merriment, festivity and abandon of care we should still have time for thoughts of these things and of gratitude for the historic era in which we have lived; the events which we have witnessed, and in which, perhaps, we have had some worthy share.

## BONDS OF EMPIRE.

It is interesting to read the developments of the argument based by the Tory press upon the statement made by President Taft in his speech before the New York insurance men in which he expressed the opinion that Canada is at the parting of the ways. This historic phrase was used by him, it will be remembered, in the prelude to the expressed opinion that the present occasion is the last opportunity that the United States would have to secure reciprocal trade relations with Canada on account of the forces at work to build up a "Chinese wall" between this country and the United States. This Chinese wall was to result from a series of Imperial preferential tariffs between the various Dominions of the Empire. This is a fair statement of the substance and meaning of that part of the president's speech, and it is the insistent practice of the Tory press to misrepresent his plainly expressed ideas.

It is not surprising to find the British press following the lead of their Canadian offspring, but the vehemence with which they repeat, in parrot like manner, the misrepresentations of their little ones suggests so sudden and remarkable an interest in Canada and her Imperial relations that the development is almost staggering.

Canada has for years been pleading for some recognition of her place in the trade interests of the United Kingdom. She even went so far as to enact a preferential tariff and give the British manufacturers advantage over every other country in the markets of Canada. For this she received no thanks and but scant courtesy. To find so sudden and prevailing an interest in the overseas trade as is being exhibited by the Tory press and by good men such as Lord Selborne and so serious an alarm that Canada may be lost to the Mother Country is to find John Bull in so unplegmatic a temperament that we must express our surprise. If this sentiment were not, unfortunately, the simple expression of Tory machine methods transferred for the nonce from the self-centered and tight little isle there might be cause for congratulation. But the sudden fear that Canada is in danger of slipping from the cordial embrace of her mother is almost too pathetic.

It is the more pathetic when we realize that the whole campaign is based upon a wilfully mistaken interpretation of the words of President Taft and a willingness to circulate falsehood in order to save a fetish.

There is, and can be, nothing in the reciprocity agreement that can alienate Canada from her affection for Empire. Canada is to-day, always has been and probably always will be, more Imperialistic in sentiment than Britain herself. While those who advocate reciprocity are unable to see how better trade relations which her neighbor can affect this loyal sentiment for the Motherland, there is certainly nothing contemplated in the agreement which can in any way interfere with every part of the Empire drawing closer together in any sort of Imperial trade arrangement that may be devised. Nor had Mr. Taft any such thought in his mind. Such can only be inferred from his speech by taking it apart and looking at the various pieces detached from the whole.

What Mr. Taft meant was that Canada, having been so often snubbed by the United States in her efforts to secure a measure of reciprocity, was forced to turn toward a system of Imperial preferential tariffs for her own protection and the development of her resources. He is wise enough to see that, should this be effected, there will be less disposition on the part of Canada to make any sort of concession to establish righteous trade relations with her neighbor. Mr. Taft has sufficiently developed the statesman's forsight to see that there is such a thing as pride being stung to retaliation and saying to the United States, "You have had your opportunity. We needed you, but you spurned us—now take your medicine." This would be Canada's mistake under any circumstances.

We admit [illegible] the president's anxiety was wholly selfish and from a national point of view, but in that selfishness there was an underlying appreciation of the rightness of sympathetic and reciprocal trade relations between the two countries. That Canada might become situated so that these would be frustrated was his sole anxiety, and those who accuse him of sinister designs either do not understand plain English or else are too willing to pervert his sentiments.

## BRYCE AND IMPERIALISM.

There is an important feature of the Imperial trade question which was brought out by Ambassador Bryce in his recent address in Toronto. While admitting the desirability of closer trade relations within the empire, the plain significance of his speech lay in the suggestion that this could be secured only by a perfect and complete understanding between the overseas Dominions. This is the first instance in which it has been so plainly hinted to Canadians that the first step in the direction of Imperial trade unity is the arrival at unanimity between the various overseas countries composing the empire.

Perhaps, after all, Canada has been thinking too harshly of her mother and the Old Lady has been too sparing of her feelings to tell us bluntly where the trouble lies. Perhaps the makers of empire at the head of empire see things which have not yet fully dawned on the minds of her children. If this is the case it may be assumed that that fact will be made clear at the Imperial Conference. The admission of the delegates to the knowledge of the secrets of the Colonial Office will brush the cobwebs from their eyes and if understanding among the Colonies is standing in the way of a system of preferential trade within the empire the brilliant statesmen of these various countries can get together on a common basis and in a few years close the deal.

In the meantime let us have reciprocity and lay our hands on the trade privileges that reciprocity will afford, enrich ourselves, assist our neighbors and arrive at a better understanding on all sides.

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The Times will not be published tomorrow evening.

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Correspondents cannot be permitted to discuss in the columns of the Times cases pending before the courts. The reasons for this are obvious.

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Cats will out. The Times knew nothing of the authenticity of its recent cartoon of the Hawthornthwaite picture corpse draped in crepe till the member confirmed the guess. It is worth something for newspaper artists to have some knowledge of the ways of Socialism.

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The first Saturday night of early closing of saloons in Montreal bootleggers did a land-office business, selling 35 cent flasks of some sort of amber fluid on street corners for $1.50. Only a few of them were arrested, but there will be many more to follow. They will make themselves rich enough to pay their fines and the city will get double toll.

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Mr. Hawthornthwaite elected by the Nanaimo local, ejected by the Nanaimo local, resigned from the House, appealing to the Executive, appeal sustained, resignation not forwarded, Hawth——e still a member, more picking and emoluments from McBride, Bowser et al. Nanaimo local extinguished. Poor Devils.

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Hamilton policemen have taken to stopping the practice of young men in that city waiting in front of the churches for their sweethearts to come out from worship and be worshipped themselves. Seeing that this is about as near to church-going as many young men get, it would appear a proper matter for treatment by the Suffragettes.

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Reciprocity is becoming very dangerous. The Toronto News says: "Our agriculturists must also recognize that ratification of the Washington agreement would involve the admission of agricultural produce absolutely free of duty from the Argentine Confederation, Austria-Hungary, Bolivia, Colombia, Denmark, Japan, Norway, Russia, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland, and from thirty or forty British possessions, while France comes into the same list as regards many products." And still the agriculturist trembleth not.

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Mr. Hawthornthwaite says that in response to "our" (his) appeal the government held over a bill in the House which would have, if passed, abolished the eight-hour law as applied in coal mines. What a laugh McBride and Bowser will have when they learn how nearly they came to perpetrating an outrage on the workers. One is curious to know which to admire most, an omniscient government about to perpetrate an outrage or the man who made them hold their hand. The member for Nanaimo should not put us up against such confusion. It is too funny.

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The trusts of this country are powerful institutions. They have got a strangle hold upon the Conservative party of Canada and the Republican party of the United States. The people of the latter country have declared by an overwhelming vote in favor of reduction of taxation. Reciprocity involves a reduction of taxation. Hence the "interests" have declared that reciprocity must be killed if the job lasts all summer lest the public at large taste the benefits of freer trade and clamor for still freer trade. Freedom to buy and sell in the nearest and best markets would deprive the combinations of the power to grow fat upon the exhilarating game of "skinning the people."


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I have questioned if they're heeded,
I have felt like calling every critic mad.

For, in studying the question
I've got mental indigestion,
Pondering why people should be exorcised
Over that benignated mortal
Standing guard at Art's first portal
Telling all what should be praised and what despised.

Tut! he's but a hired minion
Ready to express opinion
On the things he does and doesn't understand;
Be be serious or funny,
Blame him not, he needs the money,
Like ten million other toilers in the land
Live and let live; every critic
(Though his style is paralytic
And his knowledge of his subject's not profound)
Has a right to dirk and dicker,
Praise or blame or smirk or snicker,
Speak out plainly, "crawfish," "hedge" or "go around."

Pornagraphics may be roasted,
And their authors boiled or toasted
(I am speaking in a figurative way).
Works of art may be dissected,
After having been inspected
By the CRITIC; yet when he has had his say,

The great public will keep buying
Things that critics are decrying.
And the roasted authors still annex the pelf.
For, by studies analytic,
I have found the ONE TRUE CRITIC
(And the only one believed in) is—ONESELF.

## INSTITUTE MEETINGS.

Spring meetings of farmers' institutes in the Islands district will be held as follows, with the speakers and subjects as noted:

Salt Spring Island, May 29, 8 p. m.—Wm. Schulmerich, Sheep-raising or Dairying; J. F. Carpenter or R. M. Winslow, Fruit-packing and Marketing; H. Reid, Poultry Management.

Mayne Island, May 31, 8 p. m.—J. F. Carpenter or R. M. Winslow, The Orchard in General; H. Reid, Egg Production; Wm. Schulmerich, Sheep.

Pender Island, June 1, 8 p. m.—J. F. Carpenter or R. M. Winslow, Pruning of Orchards; H. Reid, Poultry-breeding; Wm. Schulmerich, Live-stock in General.

## NATIONALISTS UNSEATED.

Court Grants Petition in East Division of Cork Election Case.

Cork, Ireland, May 23.—The court which has been hearing the petition against the election of Capt. Anthony J. Donelan, the Nationalist, who defeated William O'Brien in the east division of Cork at the last general election, has unseated Donelan, but declined to brand the latter with personal dishonor.

## LIBERIA'S WARSHIP.

Las Palmas, Canary Islands, May 23.—The greatest curiosity attaches here to the presence of an armed steamer flying the German commercial flag and bearing the name "Gross Luca." The vessel is of recent construction and is fitted out with modern armament. She carries sixteen guns and has a cargo of ammunition. The crew numbers 61 men.

The vessel arrived here from Genoa by way of Gibraltar and is reported to be destined for the Republic of Liberia.

## HEAT KILLS BABIES.

Cleveland, O., May 23.—Because of the high temperature eight babies died yesterday, making 24 deaths of babies in the last four days attributable to the heat.


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—Building permits were issued yesterday to D. Randall for a dwelling to be erected on Shakespeare street to cost $1,000; to Idiens Bros. & Marshall, dwelling on Taunton street, to cost $1,500; to Province & Turner, dwelling on Graham street to cost $1,500.

—There will be a meeting of the Coronation evening carnival committee in the old Alexandra Club, Government street, at 5.15 this afternoon. The form and programme of the proposed fancy dress carnival and illuminated fete will be discussed. A meeting of the decoration committee of the celebration will be held at 5 p. m. in the Empress hotel.

—The Victoria Amateur Dramatic Club will hold its next dramatic at home on Friday evening. Members may bring friends on this occasion. It is hoped to hold this at home in the new Alexandra Club, but both place and programme will be announced tomorrow. A big rally of members and friends is expected, as the programme will include the production of Alfred Sutro's famous one-act play "Mr. Steinmann's Corner," which has been in rehearsal for some weeks.


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**Victoria-Seattle.**

Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 4.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 9 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2.30 p. m. On the lie-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

**Vancouver-Seattle.**

Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 8.30 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle at 11.30 p. m. daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

## BIJOU THEATRE.

The management of the Bijou theatre, Johnson street, has decided to give the public of Victoria one of the biggest and best shows in the city for five cents. There will be an illustrated song and good music, and a change of moving picture films every day. A continuous performance will be given from 1 p. m. to 11 p. m.

—The regular meeting of Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1 will be held this evening. After routine business has been transacted the members will entertain lady friends to a "novelty" social.

—An interesting meeting of the Women's Institute was held at Colwood last evening, addressed by Deputy Minister W. E. Scott, of the department of agriculture, who discussed women's institute work in all its phases, and by Miss Ravenhill, who in her practical and interesting talk dealt with domestic science and the sanitation of the home.

—Through the agent general for British Columbia in London, the friends of Mr. Cecil Garnett are making inquiries as to his whereabouts. He left England for British Columbia in the summer of last year, and has not been heard of since then. Any information regarding Mr. Garnett's whereabouts communicated to the secretary of the Bureau of Provincial Information, Victoria, B. C., will be forwarded to his inquiring friends.


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The result of the draw for the Bostock cup and golf championship of British Columbia is as follows:

Rattenbury vs. Edwards; Swinerton vs. Talbot; Stewart vs. Rogers; H. Combe vs. Horton; Hargraves vs. Luxton; Williams vs. Twigg; Jenkin vs. Darcey Martin; W. Pemberton vs. Holland; Mitchell Innes vs. Matterson; Jewel vs. Goward; Collison vs. Birch; Brooks vs. Peters; Jones vs. Ballantire; Rithet vs. Arbuckle; Bodwell vs. Gamble; Ricardo vs. Criddle; Yellowlees vs. Gilman; B. Combe vs. C. Irving; Hincks vs. Coles; Prior vs. S. Martin.

The first and second rounds must be played to-morrow, May 24.

## "RESURRECTION."

It is seldom indeed that the public have an opportunity of witnessing a play like Tolstoi's "Resurrection" at popular prices. The Allan Players are going to present this great Russian drama for four consecutive performances at the Victoria Theatre, commencing on Thursday, May 25.

"Resurreciton" is without doubt one of the most talked of dramas of modern times, and its name will outlive that of many other plays. It is not a problem play, but is founded on facts which have caused the reforming element of all nations to take notice. It deals with convict life in Siberia, one of the worst forms of criminal punishment which it would be possible to describe. The brutality of the officers in charge makes it doubly hard for the criminals, many of whom are innocently convicted.

The play offers great scope for scenic equipment, and Manager Allen has spent a great amount of money on the scenery for this play. Miss Verna Felton, as "Katusho Maslova," will be seen in a role entirely different from anything she has hitherto attempted in Victoria, and the press criticisms elsewhere have been very favorable, on her portrayal of this many sided and difficult role.

There will be a popular priced matinee on Saturday afternoon, at which the same play will be presented.

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# COUNCIL SHIES AT ENGINEER ISSUE

### QUORUM NOT ENOUGH TO DISCUSS MATTER

### Question of Assistant Left to Recommendation of the City Engineer

"The little more and yet how much it is; the little less and what worlds away." That simple little quotation aptly describes the situation of the city engineer yesterday afternoon when a special meeting of the council was called to discuss him and, if necessary and agreeable, to dissect him.

There was only a quorum present at the scheduled time of the meeting. They sat around the table in the committee room awaiting the arrival of the others, suffering from a general feeling that the subject in hand was too important to be disposed of by a bare quorum. There they sat for twenty minutes but no one came to give them confidence by augmenting their number and thus reducing their proportion of responsibility. Would they get to business or would they wait on?

"Let's get to business," said Ald. Gleason and everyone looked uneasy at the daring of the idea. No one seemed to second the redoubtable alderman, however, and they all sat on until the city engineer himself offered to phone for the absentees. Finally, after again empahsizing the importance of the subject and the desire to have all the aldermen present at the discussion it was decided to adjourn.

They did adjourn, and as the mayor and others who had been present were descending the stairs they met three more of their number just coming in. Their presence a few minutes earlier would have brought the council up almost to the full complement. But the meeting was off and there was no calling back. And nobody seemed to be particularly grief-stricken.

At the ordinary session of council in the evening the matter was, of course, brought up under the head of "other business." Ald. H. M. Fullerton pointed out that under the by-law the city council had no right to appoint an assistant to the engineer. He thought, therefore, that the engineer should be simply asked to report upon the matter.

This turn of events, which was forecasted in the Times of yesterday, left the council cold. Mayor Morley, however, rose to the occasion as usual. While it was up to the council to take whatever view they might of the by-law he reserved his own opinion, he said. The by-law might give the city engineer the right to appoint his own assistants but he questioned if it gave him the right to select an assistant engineer.

The by-law does not give much support to this view of the mayor's. "He shall have control, including power of hiring and of dismissal of all assistants employed in his department," is what it specifically says.

The city engineer relieved the situation by suggesting that he look over the various applications which he had received and make a recommendation to the counbcil.

Mayor Morley stated that he also had a number of applications for the post of assistant and Ald. H. M. Fullerton suggested that these also be given over to the city engineer.

The mayor readily concurred, stating that he did not wish to interfere until the proper time, when he would declare his views.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 23.—5 a.m.—The barometer is now unusually high over the North Pacific slope, extending to the Yukon, and with the exception of a few showers the weather is generally fair west of the Rockies. Showers prevail in the prairie provinces and snow is reported in Southern Alberta.

**Forecasts.**

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh northerly and easterly winds, generally fair, higher temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, higher temperature.

**Reports at 5 a. m.**

Victoria—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 46; minimum, 45; wind, 8 miles N.; rain, trace; weather, rain.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 38; minimum, 38; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, part cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 42; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, 48; minimum, 48; wind, 14 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, 46; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 40; minimum, 36; wind, 12 miles N.; rain, .14; weather, cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 56; minimum, 48; wind, 6 miles N.; weather, clear.

**Victoria Daily Weather.**

Observations taken 8 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday:

**Temperature.**

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|---|---|
| Highest | 61 |
| Lowest | 46 |
| Average | 53 |

Rain, trace.
Bright sunshine, 5 hours 30 minutes.
General state of weather, fair.

## SCHOOL SPORTS.

The school sports are being held this afternoon at Oak Bay park, with a large attendance of children and adults. The schools closed at noon until Thursday morning.

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| Beef Steak, Pork, Veal or Chicken Pies, each, | 10¢ | Lady Fingers, dozen | 15¢ |
| Brawn, lb. | 25¢ | Scotch Shortbread, doz. | 20¢ |
| Veal Loaf, lb. | 35¢ | Fruit Cakes, each, 75c, 50c, 35c and | 25¢ |
| Boiled Ham, lb. | 45¢ | Layer Cakes, each | 25¢ |
| Corned Beef, lb. | 30¢ | Assorted Cookies, doz. | 15¢ |
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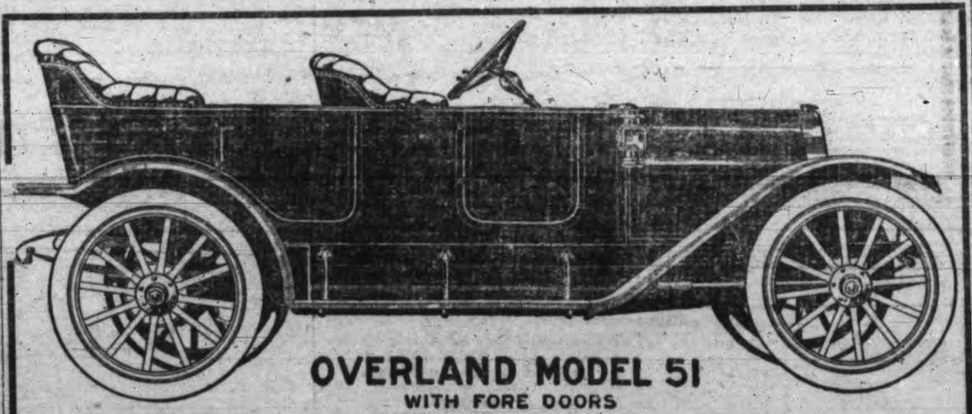

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# NEWS OF SPORT

## ERRORS MADE IN DIVIDENDS

### PUBLIC CHALLENGED OFFICIAL FIGURER

Mistakes Rectified—Arionette Beaten at 6½ — Mutuel Machine Pays Big Money

Simple arithmetic was too much for the official figurer on the place machine at the Willows yesterday afternoon, and on two occasions the figures had to be taken down and an increased dividend posted, the alteration being the result of protests made officially to Robert Leighton by patrons at the track.

The first dispute arose over the first race, when Salali ran second and was posted to pay $3. There were 25 tickets sold in one machine and 55 in the second at $2 each, making a total of $160, which, less the 10 per cent the club claims, left $144 to be divided between first and second horses, making $77 to go to bettors on each horse. On Salali there were 16 bets placed. Sixteen divided into 72 is exactly $4.50. The official figurer recorded $3. When the error was pointed out, the figurer managed to get the dividend up to $4 by a system of fractional figuring which in nine case out of ten will leave money to the credit of the club.

On the third race the official figurer again fell down, and was again pulled up with a jerk. Strange to say he fell down with a wide margin in favor of the club. Lookout ran second and the dividend posted was $12. There were in the two machines 197 tickets sold, equal to $394, less 10 per cent to the club, leaving $353.60 to be divided between first and second horses, or $176.80 each. There were 11 tickets sold on Lookout, making the correct dividend to each ticket $16.7, or with fractions claimed to the club $16.5.

When $12 was posted a protest was entered, but the best the official figurer would make the dividend under the special fraction system the club uses in arriving at the amount was $15.50 and the race was paid on this basis.

The advantage of the mutuel system is that it is open to the public, as proved by the corrected errors of yesterday. The figures are before the public eye, and although the machines are arranged in what at first seems a confusing way, it is not difficult for the beginner to get on to the system. In other parts of the world the official notice board, in addition to showing the amount of the dividend, shows the total amount bet on each race. The officials here will do well to follow the most open course, and post the complete official figures on every race so that the public can work its simple arithmetic out for itself. Another noticeable incident yesterday was that one of the machine men had cleaned his machine of figures by the time the last race was run. Figures should be allowed to remain until the dividend has been declared, to give all ticket-holders time to check the official figurer.

The machine yesterday paid heavy odds and overwhelmed the open book run by the Jackson club. Abihu paid 36 to 1 and 21 to 1 in the place machine, and the odds all through were a boost for the machine.

The racing events provided some close finishes, and running to form Phillistina gave her admirers 3 to 1. Jessupburn made a blanket finish with Roy Junior and Ada Meade, all leaving the favorite, Arionette, behind and providing one of the prettiest races of the afternoon.

The downfall of Belle of Iroquois before Siscus, and the gentlemanlike behavior of Blondy at the barrier, the speed of Abihu, owned by Arthur Levy, who did not back his horse, and the failures of the hot tips, Lyte Knight and Nebraska Lass, were all events which formed the talk in the trolley cars on the way home.

Eight starters faced Starter Webber in the opening four-and-a-half and Lycurgus on Cleopat showed a turn of speed at the distance which compelled Salali to stay in second place. Salali beat Mona Canonann for middle money. Time 56 2-5, dividend $2, machine $8.50, place $8, Salali $4. Also ran: Dublin Minstrel, Short Cut, Pride of Lismore, Lyte Knight, and Helen Hawkins.

Over five furlongs Eel held the rail for four furlongs and then fell away Abihu Bucolic and Brunell all passed the Clear Lake entry. Arthur Levy mournfully received congratulations because Abihu paid $184 for $5 and $44.40 for $2 in the place machine and the owner refrained from taking a chance. Time 1.03 3-5. Bucolic paid $44.40. Also ran: Eel, Lord Provost, Mossback, Lard Clinton, Yellowfoot, and Good Intent.

Blondy, who was almost a perfect gentleman at the barrier equalled Abihu's time over five furlongs in the third race with Look Out a length to the bad and Rector an unwilling third. Blondy led all the way but was not safe till under the wire. The race paid $25 for $5, place machine $6.75 and Look Out $15.50. Also ran: Miss Condon, Platoon, Rene W., Alder Gulch, Minnedocia, Rexey Templeton, Bellsnicker.

The defeat of the Belle of Iroquois at six furlongs by Siscus and Velua C. provided another good dividend, Siscus paying $69 for $5, $13.50 in the place, with Velna C. worth $26.40. The Belle looked a winner but the distance at her speed was too far. She grabbed third. Time 1.17. Also ran: Southern Gold, Sir Fretful, Bell Cliff, Mr. Hose, Abella, Figent.

The 6 1-2 furlong was a six-horse race, the smallest entry of the meeting. Arionette with Gargan up was heavily backed owing to her win Saturday but the unlikely happened in Jessupburn, who forsook his old time habit of running up to the water tank, and instead hung to the rail, fought off Roy Junior and Ada Meade and paid $64.50 for $5. The winner paid $6.80 in the place and Roy Junior $5.40. Time 1.23. Also ran: Sir John, Arionette, Eddie Graney.

Seven lined up opposite the stand for the mile. After breaking the barrier twice Nebraska Lass, which carried the bulk of the money, was left. Phillistina's admirers were rewarded as the green jacket swung to the front in the back stretch and repeated her brilliant Saturday performance over two furlongs more. For a moment Capewell looked a winner but was beaten off in the straight. Charles Green secured third after running last to Phillistina in the six furlongs Saturday. Time 1.44 1-2. divided. $24 for $5, place $4.25, Capewell $3.75. Also ran Aristolat, Dene, Newbrasha Lass.

Jockey Franch rode a winner and two seconds yesterday and had a winner and a third Saturday. Gargan has ridden two winners and a second.

There was a good Monday crowd present and a splendid day's sport was given. Many prominent people were present.

R. F. LEIGHTON

Racing Secretary of the Country Club.

BASEBALL RESULTS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| At Detroit— | | | |
| Washington | 7 | 18 | 1 |
| Detroit | 3 | 6 | 3 |

Batteries—Walker and Henry; Lafitte and Stanage.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| At Cleveland— | | | |
| Philadelphia | 9 | 17 | 1 |
| Cleveland | 3 | 11 | 1 |

Batteries — Morgan and Lapp, Thomas; Blanding and Smith.

## B. C. LACROSSE GAME TO-MORROW MORNING

Local Boys Confident of Victory Over Westminster —Junior Match

One of the most important features of to-morrow's celebration will be the provincial league lacrosse match, between New Westmister and Victoria at the Royal Athletic Park. The local boys have been practicing steadily for the last few weeks, and, in spite of the fact that Westminster is reputed to have a strong team, they are confident of victory.

A few changes have been made in the line-up since it was last announced. A. MacGregor has been replaced by Sid. Humber, but the latter will not take MacGregor's place at 1st home, going to 3rd instead; and Carss and J. Johnson moving up one place. Captain Frank Sweeney has relegated himself to goal.

The senior game will commence at 10.30 in the morning, with Bob Doer, if he can be secured, handling the whistle, but before that, starting at 9 o'clock a junior game will be played between the West Ends of Vancouver and a picked team from Victoria. The preliminary should prove almost as interesting as the main event. Jim Dakers will referee the junior match.

GEORGE A. FRASER

Managing Director of the Country Club.

The following are the senior teams: Victoria—Goal, Frank Sweeney; point, "Dutch" Clegg; cover point, Joe Dakers; 1st defence, L. Stiles; 2nd defence, E. Brynjolfsen; 3rd defence, McCarter; centre, L. Sweeney; 3rd home, S. Humber; 2nd home, A. Carss; 1st home, J. Johnson; outside home, L. MacDonald; inside home, C. Clute. Reserves—P. Morris, Kroeger, MacGregor.

New Westminster—Goal, W. Keary; point, Digby; cover point, B. Galbraith; 1st defence, Patchell; 2nd defence, Gregory; 3rd defence, Sangster; centre, K. MacKenzie; 3rd home, Sclater; 2nd home, Kenny; 1st home, J. Gifford; outside home, C. Smith; inside home, Swanson. Reserves—Hume, Battson.

## E. M'CALLUM WINS OPEN BROAD JUMP

Jumping Competitions at Central School Yard—Good Marks Made

At the Central School grounds yesterday afternoon the broad jumping competitions of the school sports, the remainder of which are taking place this afternoon at Oak Bay, were held. Several of the boys did exceptionally well, E. McCallum of the High School, in particular, jumped 18 feet 10 inches, a mark which has seldom been excelled in the school sports. The Central and South Park Schools each secured 5 points in the aggregate, in which the open events are not included, and Victoria West 2.

The judges were: W. N. Winsby, Central; J. N. Campbell, North Ward; J. McLean, Victoria West, and E. Campbell, South Park. The results were:

Under 14 years of age—1st, D. Drury, South Park, 13 feet 5 inches; 2nd, G. Gerow, Victoria West, 13 feet 3¾ inches; 3rd, T. Nagano, Central School, 13 feet 2 inches.

Under 16 years of age—1st, W. Steele, Central, 16 feet 5½ inches; 2nd, J. Bendrodt, South Park, 16 feet ½ inch; 3rd, R. McBrady, Central, 15 feet 11 inches.

Open—E. McCallum, High School, 18 feet 10 inches; 2nd, W. Steele, Central, 16 feet 9 inches; 3rd, C. Betterton, High School, 16 feet 7 inches.

The final match between the Foresters and the Wests for the Morley cup will probably be played off on Saturday afternoon. This will be definitely decided at a meeting of the league executive on Thursday night.

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England's champion amateur football team, the Corinthians, will visit Canada in July. The team will include seven international players.

## VANCOUVER AND TACOMA WINNERS

Spokane Was Out-Hit and Out-Fielded—Seattle Continues Going Down

Outhitting and outfielding Spokane yesterday, in the opening game of the series at Vancouver, the Beavers won from the Indians by a score of 8 to 3. Bonner was replaced by Schwenk in the third inning. Erickson held the Indians to three singles throughout, and was effective in the pinches.

The score was:

Vancouver.

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brinker, c. f. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Adams, r. f. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Bennett, 2 b. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Brashear, 1 b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| James, 3 b. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Harrison, l. f. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Scharnweber, s. s. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Lewis, c. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Erickson, p. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 35 | 8 | 10 | 27 | 8 | 2 |

Spokane.

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Netzel, 3 b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Cooney, s. s. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Frisk, r. f. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nordyke, 1 b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 0 |
| Zimmerman, c. f. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Cartwright, 2 b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Kippert, l. f. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hasty, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Bonner, p. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Schwenk, p. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 3 | 3 | 24 | 12 | 4 |

Score by Innings.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vancouver | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | *—8 |
| Spokane | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0—3 |

Summary.

Three base hits—Lewis, Harrison. Two base hits—Bennett. Stolen bases—Brinker, Harrison, Frisk, Cartwright. Sacrifice hits—James. Sacrifice fly—Harrison. Bases on balls—Off Erickson, 5; off Bonner, 1; off Schwenk, 1. Struck out—By Erickson, 6; by Bonner, 1; by Schwenk, 3. Innings pitched—By Bonner 2; runs off Bonner 4, at bat 12, hits 2. Wild pitches—Erickson. Left on bases—Vancouver, 7; Spokane, 6. Umpire—Kane. Time—1.45.

SEATTLE GOING DOWN.

Seattle is still going down. Tacoma won yesterday's game from the Giants in the eighth inning, when two hits and an error by Cruikshank enabled Morse to score. Seattle outhit the visitors, but the locals were unable to turn their hits into runs.

The score was:

Seattle.

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cruickshank, r. f. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Raymond, s. s. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Davidson, l. f. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bues, 3 b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Weed, 1 b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Cocash, c. f. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Leard, 2 b. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Shea, c. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 1 | 0 |
| Skeels, p. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 35 | 3 | 10 | 27 | 10 | 2 |

Tacoma.

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bassey, l. f. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Coleman, 3 b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Rockenfield, 2 b. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Morse, s. s. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Abbott, r. f. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Lynch, c. f. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Burns, c. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 1 |
| Fisher, 1 b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Hall, p. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 4 | 7 | 27 | 13 | 2 |

Score by Innings.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Seattle | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0—3 |
| Tacoma | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0—4 |

Summary.

Two base hits—Davidson, Abbott. Home run—Hall. Sacrifice hits—Raymond, Shea. Stolen bases—Weed, Leard (2), Abbott (2), Lynch. Struck out—By Skeels, 11; by Hall, 5. Bases on balls—Off Skeels, 5; off Hall, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Morse, Lynch, Coleman, Leard. Left on bases—Seattle, 8; Tacoma, 6. Double play—Bues to Leard to Weed. Umpires—Kennedy and Zackert.

## SPORT NOTES

Many American League players declare that the Athletics will not strike a permanent gait until Jack Barry is put back at shortstop. Barry fits into the powerful machine that beat the Cubs in the world's series as snugly as a piston rod does in a cylinder. McInnis is an untried youngster, who has been playing phenomenal ball, but whether he will stand up under the strain is a question.

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Bob Brown was overridden when he brought up the famous Hetling case at the Seattle meeting a week ago. The directors have heard all they wanted of the affair, and turned it down without even voting on it.

• • •

Ford Henkel, the University of Oregon pitcher, reported in Seattle yesterday. He says that he is in fair condition, but that the weather has been against him. President Dugdale has always been a great admirer of the Oregon lefthander. He does not hesitate to say that he figures him to develop into one of the best pitchers in the league.

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It seems a shame that such a great pitcher as Reulbach should go to the minors, but Chance seems tired of waiting until Summer every season for the big fellow to get over his wildness.

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The Nationals defeated Toronto at Montreal on Saturday by 9 to 4, in an exhibition game of lacrosse. Toronto held their rivals down during the first half, but in the third and fourth quarters the locals proved too fast. Lalonde does not seem to be greatly missed as Didier Hilaire is showing himself quite as fast and a better stick-handler. Toronto misses one or two men, whom Con. Jones has tempted west, but has some promising looking youngsters. The Nationals played the same team that has twice this season downed the Tecumsehs, with the exception of Gauthier, who is laid up with a broken thumb. The game was a rough one and many penalties were handed out to the Nationals, who were the worst offenders.

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The Toronto lacrosse team has lost the services of Billy Lavalle, the tricky home player, who was making good progress. He left for High River, Alberta, on Saturday night, where he has secured a good position. Billy played lacrosse there last summer, and since he went back to Toronto High River magnates have been trying to get him a suitable position. They were just in time, for Billy would have gone to Montreal on Friday night with Torontos had he not heard from them.

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To-morrow sport lovers will have their hands full, if they try to take in all the various events scheduled to come off. What with the baseball and lacrosse games at the Royal Athletic park, the race meet at the Willows, the regatta at the Gorge and sundry other festivities of lesser importance, there should at least no lack of choice.

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At a special meeting of the B. C. A. A. U. held last evening, both the Victoria West and Foresters were exonerated from blame in having played with and against W. Young, a footballer, who is accused of having played in an old Island league match. The secretary was requested to write W. Young, asking him to report at the next meeting of the union and defend himself against the charge. The following men who took part in the old Island league series were re-instated: S. Okell, Prevost, W. Wilson and W. Miller.

## CRICKET

At an executive meeting of the V. C. C., Norman Rant was asked to captain team "B" in the game against Vancouver 2nd XI. on Jubilee grounds, May 24. This is an all-day game, beginning at 10 a. m.

Alexis Martin was asked to take charge of team "B" on the same grounds Saturday, May 27. Game begins at 2 p. m.

Team "A" will play in Seattle May 27. Two more will be added to the nine here mentioned. L. S. V. York, M. Cane, Sholto Gillespie, Lieut. Morrell, J. H. Gillespie, T. B. Tye, F. J. Marshall, F. Galliher, R. N. Hincks.

New members were added to the club, also another fixture to the schedule. Strawberry Vale will play team "B" August 12 on Jubilee Hospital grounds.

A large and most enthusiastic meeting of the associate members of the V. C. C. was held yesterday. The chief business of the meeting was to arrange for hostesses to take charge of tea days. The nurses of the Jubilee hospital have volunteered for May 24.

The interior furnishings and mural decorations of the new club house were considered and an honorary membership degree conferred upon Mrs. White of the Balmoral hotel.

WEDNESDAY CRICKET GAMES.

Victoria team "B" vs. Vancouver 2nd XI., Jubilee Hospital grounds.

Albion 1st XI. vs. Nanaimo, Beacon Hill.

Games begin at 10.30 a. m.

Albion team selected for Wednesday are E. W. Ismay (capt.), H. A. Ismay, A. E. Bayley, E. Parsons, J. Idions, Q. D. H. Warden, L. B. Trimen, W. Gregson, A. D. Mahon, J. Spain, C. W. Scott.

Garrison are playing an all-day game with Nanaimo at Work Point to-day. Nanaimo have an excellent team and expect to give the Garrison a run for their money.

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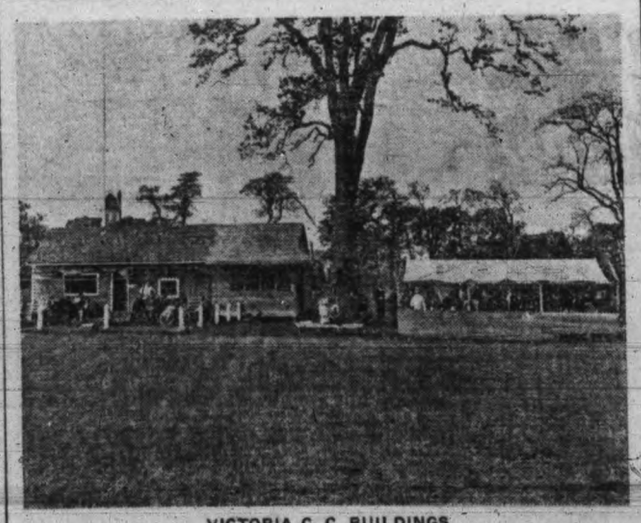

VICTORIA C. C. BUILDINGS

The above photograph shows the enlarged V. C. C. clubhouse and partly finished refreshment pavilion.

## PORTLAND DEFEATS EDDIE'S ISLANDERS

Sage Pitches Poor Ball and Receives No Support—Score Ends 12 to 2

With Sage in the box receiving the worst kind of support and Sage himself, by the way, pitching a very poor brand of ball, Victoria went down to a well-deserved defeat, 12 to 2, yesterday. There was just as much difference between the exhibitions of the two teams, the Portland Pippins and the Islanders, as one would expect to see in a game between a team of major leaguers and a bunch of bushers.

Not only were the Islanders off on their fielding, batting and throwing, which is all excusable, but there seemed to be a lack of harmony amongst the players, which is certainly not excusable. It was no doubt due to the fact that they got off wrong and, weighed down by the long string of defeats in the past, simply threw up the sponge in disgust. But although the fans do not mind seeing the home team defeated, they want to see it fight, and it must be said that yesterday was the first occasion on which the team has not put up a struggle. The fans hope it was only a momentary slump, to be accounted for by reasons outside their knowledge.

The redeeming feature of the game was the playing of the visiting Pippins. They showed themselves the masters at every stage and gave their pitcher, Tonneson, almost errorless support. In the first inning when it seemed as if Victoria might score, Ort made a beautiful one-handed catch of Raymer's long drive to left and caught Davis, who had naturally gone around, off first.

L. S. V. YORK

Captain of the Victoria First Eleven.

For the two opening innings, Sage pitched good ball, allowing only one hit and fanning five men, but in the third the crash came and for the remaining seven sessions the Pippins toyed with the disgruntled Islanders. With one down Million started the raggedness by booting and juggling a couple of grounders, which, combined with a two bagger and a single, gave Portland two runs. The first of the third was almost as bad. Williams and Mensor hit for a single and a double, taking third and second respectively; William came in on Spies' out to Davis and Mensor on a passed ball by DeVogt. Davis failed to get the ball to third base when attempting to peg Williams at the plate. The side was retired on two flies to Householder.

A short-lived enthusiasm was aroused in the stand and bleachers in the last of the fourth, when, with two out, Goodman was given a pass and reached home on Householder's slam to right. It could not be called an earned run, as the hit, barring Stovall's error, would not have carried the runner past third. Householder's run was earned, however, for Kellar, the next batter, pounded out another double. Reddick struck out. Another chance to enthuse was given the fans in the seventh. DeVogt and Sage walked and, with the strong end of the batting list up, chances looked rosy for a run or two. Davis then blotted out all hope by hitting into a double play, Spies catching his fly and throwing DeVogt out at second. Sage was caught on Raymer's grounder to short.

The initial halves of the sixth and seventh consisted chiefly of a series of errors and bone-headed plays on the part of the Islanders. In the sixth Portland's three runs might not have been scored, had not Sage picked up a grounded ball and then forgotten to throw it, permitting Spies to reach first and Williams to advance to second. A couple of hits following this brilliant piece of work, brought in three runs. In the seventh the home team threw the ball all over the lot. Raymer, after putting a man out at second, made a poor throw to first, allowing Williams to come home. Kellar recovered the sphere and threw to DeVogt in an effort to catch Spies, who had rounded third. It was easy out, but DeVogt lobbed the ball over Goodman's head and Portland tallied another. The Pippins completed the rout by scoring two in the eighth on passed balls, walks and hits and one in the ninth.

The score:

Portland.

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Muhlorff, 3 b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Casey, 2 b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Stovall, r. f. | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Williams, 1 b. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Mensor, s. s. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Spies, c. f. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Ort, l. f. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Bradley, c. | 5 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 0 |
| Tonneson, p. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 12 | 13 | 27 | 8 | 1 |

Victoria.

| | A.B. | R. | H. | P.O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Davis, l. f. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Raymer, 2 b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Million, c. f. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Goodman, 3 b. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Householder, r. f. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Kellar, 1 b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| Reddick, s. s. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| De Vogt, c. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 1 |
| Sage, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| *Thomas | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 2 | 5 | 27 | 7 | 4 |

*Batted for Sage in the ninth.

Score by Innings.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | —12 |
| Victoria | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |

Summary.

Stolen base, Ort. Sacrifice flies—Casey, Spies. Two base hits—Stovall, Mensor, Bradley, Householder, Kellar. Double plays—Spies to Casey, Ort to Mensor to Williams. Struck out—By Tonneson, 10; by Sage, 10. Bases on balls—Off Tonneson, 2; off Sage, 7. Hit by pitched ball—De Vogt by Tonneson, Mensor by Sage. Passed ball—Bradley, De Vogt (2). Time of game—2 . urs. Umpire—Baumgarten.

(Additional Sport on page 12.)

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# CHARGES TRUST IN PAPER TRADE

## PUBLISHER BEFORE U. S. SENATE COMMITTEE

### Declares Big Concern Has Reduced Output to Increase Market Price

Washington, May 23.—Only by the adoption of the paper clause of the reciprocity agreement with Canada can cheap paper and the retention of the print paper industry in the United States be secured, according to John Norris, representing the American Publishers' Association, who appeared to-day before the senate finance committee.

"The Canadian provinces which control the raw material of paper manufacture," Mr. Norris said, "are trying to force American paper mills to move to the other side of the boundary line. They have prohibited the exportation of pulp wood from provincial lands; they believe they can starve out the American paper makers, whose domestic supplies are nearly exhausted.

"In 1901 the American paper makers had a chance to consummate an arrangement with Canada whereby the supply of wood from the provinces of Quebec would be continued indefinitely. But the American senate at the instigation of former Senator Hale and of the extreme standpatters against the paper makers, upset that arrangement and undertook to bulldoze the Canadian provinces so that it could force them by the imposition of retaliatory duties to let their pulp wood into the United States without restriction. Instead of composing the situation they provoked an ugly complication, to which the paper clause of the reciprocity treaty offers the only immediate and promising solution."

American paper makers, said Mr. Norris, own over 12,000 square miles of timber rights on the crown lands of Quebec, from which they cannot now ship wood pulp because of prohibition of May 1, 1910.

Mr. Norris referred to the Gifford Pinchot estimate three years ago of the available supply of wood pulp in the United States which would last as follows: New York state, eight and a half years; Pennsylvania, nine years; Minnesota, nine years; Vermont, eleven years; New Hampshire, twenty-five years, and Maine twenty-seven and a half years.

Mr. Norris said that nearly forty per cent of the wood pulp which the United States now used as the raw material of cheaper paper comes from abroad.

"The paper industry," he said, "paid $19,406,074 to foreigners in 1910 for pulp woods and pulp to keep American paper mills going. The consumers paid $150,000 in retaliatory duty because there was an adequate supply of free wood in Canada available for the needs of this market."

Mr. Norris was questioned by various members of the committee as to the purposes of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association. He declared that as chairman of the paper committee he had done "missionary work among the senators and in other places." The work all had been in the open, he said.

When Senator Smoot asked him if his bureau had not sent out various pamphlets urging the passage of the reciprocity bill, Senator Williams interrupted by asking: "You did not consider it any crime, did you, Mr. Norris, to send out literature in favor of placing things on the free list?"

"On the contrary," replied Mr. Norris.

When Mr. Norris declared that the American senate undertook to "bulldoze the Canadian provinces," Senators Bailey and Heyburn objected to the word "bulldoze" and had it stricken from the record.

Mr. Norris sought to show that the International Paper Company is a combination in restraint of trade. He declared he had been unable to procure paper at market prices at any paper mill east of the Rockies. The American Paper and Pulp Association, he claimed, was "a so-called bureau of statistics to enable the paper makers of the country to maintain prices at an agreed figure."

In attacking the International Paper Company, Mr. Norris declared it had absorbed nearly all the paper mills in the United States, that it controlled much undeveloped paper mill water power, that it started immediately after its organization on "woodland speculation" and that it had reduced its output so as to increase the market price. The corporation had an excessive capitalization, said Mr. Norris, which was inflated at least $40,000,000.

He declared it frequently sold paper for from $8 to $10 a ton cheaper abroad than in this country.

## TWO KILLED BY NEGRO.

### Murderer Taken From Officers by Mob and Lynched.

Nashville, Tenn., May 23.—Judge D. E. Barry, of Sumner county bench, interfered in a quarrel between his cook and a negro named Sweet at the Barry home near Gallatry early to-day. Sweet killed the cook, then turned the gun on Judge Barry and instantly killed him. A posse went in pursuit and rounded up Sweet in a barn. He shot from a window hitting Constable J. Barnes. After being captured Sweet was taken from officers by a mob and lynched.

## POISONED BY CHICKEN.

### Woman and Child Dead—Twenty-Four Others Are Ill.

Peabody, Kas., May 23.—As the result of ptomaine poisoning caused by eating pressed chicken at a missionary meeting near this city on April 20, Mrs. A. B. Nelson, wife of a farmer living near here, died at her home yesterday, the second victim, Juanita Clausen, a farmer's child, died a week ago. Twenty-four other persons are now in a dangerous condition.

# MAN UNDER SENTENCE HAS A SECOND TRIAL

### Frank Dryhurst, Sent to Jail for Two Weeks, is Then Admitted to Bail

Frank Dryhurst, who was yesterday sentenced to two weeks in prison for the theft of 50 cents worth of paint, having pleaded guilty to the charge, was before the police magistrate on bail this morning, represented by a solicitor, to plead not guilty to the charge on which he was yesterday sentenced.

Dryhurst, yesterday afternoon, while in the city prison under a sentence of two weeks, was liberated on bail and has been at large since, and will remain at large until Friday morning, when Magistrate Jay will hear evidence and decide if the man he has convicted and sentenced is guilty of the offence charged against him.

Dryhurst was charged with stealing paint valued at 50 cents from the Newton Greer Paint company. He was employed on a house painting contract and has admitted taking the paint, according to Councillor Newton's statement this morning.

When the case was called this morning Councillor Newton, of Oak Bay, a member of the prosecuting firm, was in court and asked if he understood rightly that Dryhurst was to be allowed another trial to a charge he had already been sentenced to a jail term on.

Magistrate Jay said that a solicitor had waited on him yesterday afternoon and told him that Dryhurst wished to plead not guilty. The accused had not understood at his trial the morning before. There were circumstances in connection with the matter, said the magistrate, which led the accused to believe he had some right to take the paint. He had pleaded guilty the previous morning under a misapprehension. The magistrate said he had decided to give the accused another trial.

Councillor Newton asked the court if he understood that he was to bring witnesses to prove his case when the accused had pleaded guilty and had already been sentenced.

The city prosecutor, C. L. Harrison, who acted in the case yesterday, said this morning that he declined to have anything to do with the reopening of the case and had so advised Councillor Newton.

Councillor Newton said that accused had admitted to him that he took the paint. He had also pleaded guilty in the police court when charged. If the magistrate decided to hear witnesses, he would have them present but would have to ask a remand.

A remand was granted until Friday. J. A. Aikman apeared for the prisoner accused.

## RACE ENTRIES FOR TO-MORROW

First race — Selling; five-eighths mile—Mossback, 111; Zinkand, 110; Bellsnicker, 111; Platoon, 111; Dargin, 111; Meada, 109; Gelico, 109; Banellen, 109; Yellowfoot, 111.

Second race—Selling; five-eighths mile—Reene W., 109; Lord Clinton, 109; Good Intent, 109; Plume, 119; Helen Hawkins, 97; Figent, 109; Princess Viola, 117; Burnell, 112; Morook, 119; Eel, 107.

Third race—Selling; three-quarters mile—Phillistina, 113; Judge Cabiniss, 115; Faniel Hall, 112; Beda, 111; Abella, 100; Lord of the Forest, 112; Quality Street, 113; Alder Gulch, 110.

Fourth race—Purse; three-quarters mile—Altamor, 112; Daddy Gip, 107; Beauman, 112; Dr. Dougherty, 110; Thistle Belle, 107; Judge Henderson, 110; Don Enirque, 114; Eddie Graney, 110; Ada Meade, 107.

Fifth race—Celebration Handicap stake, $500; 1 mile—Jessopburn, 107; Eddie Graney, 103; Dr. Dougherty, 103; Jack Paine, 118; Ocean Queen, 108; Sir John, 106; Beauman, 118; Roy Junior, Ada Meade, 103; Velsini, 100; Quality Street, 104; Seth, 101.

Sixth race—Selling; one mile one hundred yards—Nebraska Lass, 111; Dene, 111; Bell Cliff, 93; Capewell, 113; J. C. Clem, 118; Sir Wesley, 113; Southern Gold, 109.


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## WILL MINE COAL.

Cordova, Alaska, May 24.—Unwilling to sit idly by awaiting the action of the government in opening the Alaska coal lands, nearly 100 citizens of Cordova left late yesterday for the Bering River coal fields, near Katalla, where they intend to begin mining coal for the markets of this city and other Alaska towns. A subscription list was circulated during the day, and liberal contributions were made for the purpose of financing the expedition.

It is the intention of the coal seekers to locate a mine and acquire coal claims, which they will undertake to work at once without awaiting action by the government. If the expedition is unable to get permission from claimants to work the claims the men in the party will locate property of their own and work it. They assert that they have a right to do this, and say that if the government objects it will be necessary to send a force of men to stop the operations.

The expedition left Cordova with four launches and a barge. Several women joined the party and will cook for the miners.

An effort will be made to take the coal from the McDonald claim, which was staked five years ago. It is asserted that McDonald paid his entry fee four years ago, that he made fourteen statements to interior department officers in connection with the pending patent, and that no charges have been filed against the claim.

## SPOKANE MINING STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Spokane, May 23.

| | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|
| Alameda | 1 | 1¼ |
| B. C. Copper | 5¼ | 5¾ |
| Can. Con. S. & R. | 36 | 48 |
| Copper King | 37 | 37½ |
| Gertie | 1¼ | 1½ |
| Granby Smelter | 33 | 35 |
| Humming Bird | 8¼ | 9 |
| Hypotheek | 2 | 3 |
| International C. & C. | 69 | 69½ |
| Idora | 2¼ | 2¾ |
| Idaho Cons. | 67½ | 70 |
| Lucky Calumet | 1¾ | 1½ |
| Missoula Copper | 2¼ | .. |
| Monitor | 1 | 2¼ |
| Noob | 3 | 4 |
| North Franklin | ½ | .. |
| Oom Paul | 2 | 4 |
| Portland Canal | 11 | 12 |
| Rambler Cariboo | 50 | 55 |
| Rex | 5 | .. |
| Snowshoe | 1½ | 2 |
| Snowstorm | 32 | 40 |
| Stewart | 112 | 113 |

## NEW YORK STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, May 23.

| | High. | Low. | Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amal. Copper | 68¼ | 67¼ | 68¼ |
| Amn. Agr. Chemical | 59 | 58¼ | 58¾ |
| Amn. Beet Sugar | 49¼ | 48¾ | 49 |
| Amn. Can., pref. | 88 | 87¼ | 88 |
| Amn. Car. & Foundry | 56¼ | 56 | 56¼ |
| Amn. Cotton Oil | 50 | 49¾ | 50 |
| Amn. Locomotive | 42¼ | 42 | 42¼ |
| Amn. Smelting | 81¼ | 79¾ | 80¾ |
| Amn. Sugar | 120¼ | 120 | 120 |
| Amn. Tel. & Tel. | 149¼ | 148¾ | 149¼ |
| Anaconda | 40¾ | 40¼ | 40¼ |
| Atchison | 113¼ | 112¾ | 113¼ |
| B. & O. | 106¾ | 106¼ | 106¾ |
| B. R. T. | 80¾ | 80 | 80¼ |
| C. P. R. | 234 | 233 | 234 |
| Central Leather | 30¾ | 30 | 30¼ |
| C. & O. | 83 | 82¾ | 82¾ |
| C., M. & St. P. | 124¾ | 124¼ | 124¼ |
| Colo. Fuel & Iron | 34¼ | 33¾ | 34 |
| Con. Gas | 145¼ | 145¼ | 145¼ |
| Distillers Sec. | 37 | 36¾ | 36¾ |
| Erie | 33¼ | 32¾ | 32¾ |
| Do., 1st pref. | 50¾ | 50 | 50¼ |
| Goldfield Cons. | 6 | 5¾ | 5¾ |
| G. N., pref. | 130¼ | 129¾ | 130¼ |
| G. N. Ore ctfs. | 62¼ | 62¼ | 62¼ |
| Illinois Cent. | 139¼ | 139 | 139 |
| Inter-Metro. | 19¼ | 19 | 19¼ |
| Do., pref. | 54 | 52¾ | 53¼ |
| Inter. Harvester | 127¼ | 126 | 127 |
| L. & N. | 148¼ | 148¼ | 147¾ |
| Lehigh Valley | 179¾ | 178¾ | 179¼ |
| Chino | 25 | 24¾ | 24¾ |
| M., St. P. & S. S. M. | 138¼ | 137¾ | 137¾ |
| M., K. & T. | 34¾ | 34¼ | 34¾ |
| Do., pref. | 67¾ | 66¾ | 67 |
| Mo. Pacific | 50¼ | 49¾ | 50¼ |
| Nat. Lead | 56¾ | 55¼ | 55¾ |
| Nat. Rys. of Mex., 1st pref. | 74¼ | 72¼ | 64 |
| Do., 2nd pref. | 31¼ | 30¼ | 30 |
| Nev. Cons. | 19¾ | 19 | 19¼ |
| N. Y. C. | 109 | 108¾ | 108¾ |
| N. Y., O. & W. | 43¼ | 43¼ | 43¼ |
| N. & W. | 108¾ | 108¼ | 108¼ |
| N. P. | 129¾ | 128¼ | 129¾ |
| Pennsy. | 123 | 122¼ | 122¾ |
| People's Gas | 106¼ | 105¼ | 105¾ |
| Pressed Steel Car | 36¼ | 35¼ | 35 |
| Reading | 160¾ | 159¾ | 160¼ |
| Rep. Iron & Steel | 31¾ | 31¾ | 31¼ |
| Do., pref. | 95¼ | 95¼ | 95¼ |
| Rock Island | 33¼ | 32¼ | 32¼ |
| Do., pref. | 64¾ | 64¼ | 64¼ |
| S. P. | 119¼ | 118¼ | 119 |
| Tenn. Copper | 38 | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| Texas Pacific | 27¾ | 27¼ | 27¼ |
| U. P. | 184¼ | 183¼ | 184¼ |
| Do., pref. | 95¼ | 94¼ | 94¼ |
| U. S. Rubber | 42 | 41¾ | 41¼ |
| Do., 1st pref. | 114 | 113¼ | 113¼ |
| U. S. Steel | 80¾ | 79¾ | 79¾ |
| Do., pref. | 119¼ | 119¾ | 119¾ |
| Utah Copper | 47¼ | 46¾ | 47 |
| Va. Car. Chem. | 59 | 57¾ | 58¼ |
| Wabash | 16¾ | 16¼ | 16¼ |
| Do., pref. | 38¾ | 37¼ | 38 |
| Western Union | 81¼ | 79¾ | 81 |
| Westinghouse | 78¼ | 73 | 73¼ |

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## CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, May 23.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| May | 95¾ | 98¼ | 95¾ | 98 |
| July | 84¼ | 86¾ | 84¼ | 86¼ |
| Sept. | 86¾ | 87¼ | 86¼ | 87¼ |
| Dec. | 88¾ | 89¼ | 88¾ | 89¾ |
| Corn— | | | | |
| May | 51¾ | 53¼ | 51¾ | 53¼ |
| July | 51¾ | 52¾ | 51¾ | 52¾ |
| Sept. | 52¾ | 53¼ | 52¾ | 53¼ |
| Dec. | 50¾ | 51¼ | 50¾ | 51¼ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 33¾ | 34¾ | 33¾ | 34¾ |
| July | 33¾ | 34¾ | 33¾ | 34 |
| Sept. | 33¼ | 34¼ | 33¼ | 33¾ |
| Dec. | 34¾ | 35 | 34¾ | 35 |
| Pork— | | | | |
| July | 14.40 | 14.65 | 14.40 | 14.55 |
| Sept. | 13.95 | 14.20 | 13.95 | 14.20 |
| Lard— | | | | |
| July | 8.07 | 8.15 | 8.05 | 8.15 |
| Sept. | 8.12 | 8.22 | 8.12 | 8.20 |
| Short Ribs— | | | | |
| July | 7.72 | 7.82 | 7.72 | 7.80 |
| Sept. | 7.67 | 7.80 | 7.67 | 7.77 |

## NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, May 23.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 13.11 | 13.12 | 13.07 | 13.08-09 |
| March | 13.18 | 13.18 | 13.00 | 13.14-16 |
| May | 15.94 | 15.95 | 15.84 | 15.84-85 |
| June | .... | .... | .... | 15.64-65 |
| July | 16.04 | 16.06 | 15.92 | 15.94-96 |
| Aug. | 15.42 | 15.47 | 15.38 | 15.40-41 |
| Sept. | 13.72 | 13.73 | 13.64 | 13.64-66 |
| Oct. | 13.21 | 13.22 | 13.15 | 13.16-17 |
| Dec. | 13.11 | 13.13 | 13.06 | 13.09-10 |

## DYNAMITE OUTRAGE.

Kansas City, Mo., May 23.—The second attempt within five months to destroy the home of W. E. Griffin, negro principal of the Booker T. Washington school, was made shortly before midnight last night. An explosive was placed upon a board walk about three feet from the house. Every window was broken and a hole half a foot deep torn in the ground.

Griffin said he and his wife were asleep on the second floor when the explosion occurred, but refused to discuss the occurrence further, as did other negroes living in the neighborhood.

An explosion of nitro-glycerine damaged Griffin's house last December. The charge was placed in a vacant lot adjoining the negro teacher's home. Several other attempts have been made with dynamite within the last two years to drive the negro families from the neighborhood but none of them have moved. They made the declaration that they would not leave and made the same declaration to-day.

## OBJECT TO MASKING.

Portland, Ore., May 23.—Women's clubs and charitable institutions of Portland have protested to the Rose Festival committee against masking on Carnival night, during the festival, on the ground that it promotes immorality and suggests instead a parade in costume. To this suggestion the festival management is willing to accede if arrangements can be completed in time.


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The anthracite of Graham Island carries 83 per cent fixed carbon and, in consequence thereof, has from 25 to 40 per cent more heat value than the coal of Vancouver Island, which, at the present time, controls the coal market of the Pacific Coast.

Anthracite coal costs no more to mine. In fact it may be mined more economically than most of the bituminous coal on Vancouver Island, and, since it carries a greater percentage of fixed carbon will naturally control the market, since one ton of anthracite will give almost double the heat derived from the same quantity of bituminous coal. It requires less stoking and occupies the same space in the railway tender, the steamship bunker, or the individual coal bunker.

Therefore, if you identify yourself with the development of the anthracite coal area on Skidegate Inlet, 80 miles from Prince Rupert City, you are absolutely certain that you possess a holding in a proposition immediately in the pathway of success and profit, since the coal market at Prince Rupert will be as great as the market for coal at Vancouver, Seattle, Portland, or San Francisco.

Vancouver Island mines are 400 miles from Prince Rupert.

The British Pacific Coal Company Limited controls 8,320 acres of coal land fronting on Skidegate Inlet. This property embraces the major portion of the anthracite coal area discovered on the Island.

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"Taking the capitalization at $1,500,000 at 16 2-3 per cent gives 250,000 per annum, and taking the output of 1,000 tons daily, or 250,000 tons annually at a profit of $1 per ton, would produce $250,000 per annum, or the capital recouped in six years, adding another year for contingencies, making seven years, or say altogether at the utmost a period of eight years."

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3.—*Crumpled up in a tight ball*

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## MANY BOATS HAVING WIRELESS INSTALLED

### New U. S. Law Comes Into Force July 1 — Companies Hurrying to Equip Vessels

Attention of all shipping companies of the world is called in the Washington Hydrographical Bulletin, issued on April 26, to the new wireless regulations of the United States which take effect on July 1. The Bulletin quotes section 1 of the Wireless Act, which is as follows:

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that from and after the first day of July, 1911, it shall be unlawful for any ocean-going steamer of the United States, or of any foreign country, carrying passengers and carrying fifty or more persons, including passengers and crew, to leave or attempt to leave any port of the United States, unless such steamer shall be equipped with an efficient apparatus for radio-communication, in good working order, in charge of a person skilled in the use of such apparatus, which apparatus shall be capable of transmitting and receiving messages over a distance of at least one hundred miles, day or night: Provided, that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to steamers plying only between ports less than two hundred miles apart."

This new Act was passed at Washington last June, and ever since that time the various steamship companies operating from United States ports have been busy installing wireless apparatus on their vessels. The Canada Maru, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha line, which is due here a week from Wednesday, will have wireless, being the first of that company's steamships to have the radio-telegraphy. The Titan, the next of the Blue Funnel liners due here, will be the first of the Holt vessels to have wireless. The Bank liners are also being equipped.

Paragraphs 3 and 4 of article 6 of the regulations annexed to the Berlin International Radiotelegraphic Convention, provide:

"The service of the ship station must be carried on by a telegraphist holding a certificate issued by the government to whose authority the ship is subject. This certificate testifies to the technical proficiency of the telegraphist as regards—

"(a) The adjustment of apparatus.

"(b) Transmission and sound-reading at a speed which must not fall short of 20 words a minute.

"(c) Knowledge of the regulations applicable to the exchange of radio-telegraphic traffic.

"4. In addition, the certificate testifies that the government has bound the telegraphist to the obligation of preserving the secrecy of correspondence."

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

May 22.

San Francisco — Arrived: Steamers Daisy, Willapa; Sisak, Tacoma; Nann Smith, Coos Bay; Aberdeen, Casco, Columbia River; Newburg, Coronado, Santa Monica, Svea, Tamalpais, Grays Harbor; schooner Dauntless, Bellingham. Sailed: Steamers Doris, Aurelia, Aberdeen; schooner Advance, Coquille River.

New York—Arrived: Minnehaha, London and Southampton.

Punta Arenas — Arrived: Assuan, Hamburg, for San Francisco.

Hamburg—Arrived: Serak, Portland, Ore.

Genoa—Sailed: Thebe, San Francisco (previously).

Glasgow—Sailed: Keemun, Vancouver.

Christiansend—Sailed: Oscar II., New York.

Quebec — Arrived: Lake Manitoba, Liverpool.

Tacoma—Sailed: Admiral Sampson, Seattle.

Los Angeles — Arrived: Roanoke, Portland. Sailed: Helen P. Drew, Greenwood; Meteor, Willapa Harbor, in ballast.

## NEW STEAMER HERE END OF THIS MONTH

### British Empire Will Commence Operating to North Immediately After Arrival

About the end of this month the new Northern Steamship Company's steamer British Empire will arrive here from Grangemouth, Scotland, to replace the Petriana, which was purchased by the Canadian Northern Pacific Fisheries Company, on the run to northern British Columbia ports. She was reported leaving Coronel on May 2, having called there to take on bunker coal.

The British Empire is making one of the longest passages from the Old Land ever recorded against a steamer, owing to the fact that she was detained at the Cape Verde Island as a result of disabled machinery. While making the run to her first coaling port the vessel's mechanism gave trouble and she had to await the arrival of new parts from England before she could proceed. It was expected that she would have been here in time for the spring rush to the north, but the delay at the Atlantic islands has caused her to miss the greater part of this.

Upon arrival here she will be overhauled and immediately placed in the coasting service, operating alternately with the Cetriana, which has been on the run alone since the Petriana was sold. The British Empire is a good sized boat and is able to handle one thousand tons of freight. Another new vessel is coming to this coast from the Old Country for the Northern Steamship Company of a larger type than the Empire. She will be able to carry 1,500 tons of cargo and will operate between Victoria, Vancouver, northern British Columbia and Alaskan ports. The company hopes to secure a large amount of the copper shipments sent south.

The Northern Steamship Company's steamer Cetriana is calling at this port now, giving a fortnightly service to northern British Columbia points. She will call here some time to-day to take on some freight and several passengers.

### SEALERS' POSITIONS.

Three Local Schooners Reported by Wireless to be in Northern Bays.

In the wireless reports received this morning from Ikeda three of the local sealing schooners were reported to be lying in northern bays. The Pescawha, Capt. Balcolm, is in Collinson Bay; the Thomas F. Bayard, Capt. Blackstad, in Ikeda Bay, and the Lady Mine, Capt. Delouchrey, in Rose Harbor. There is a strong north wind blowing there, and evidently the schooners have taken shelter from the gale.

Wireless reports received from the G.T.P. steamer Prince George, Capt. George Robertson, state that the vessel is on time and that she will dock here at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning. She is bringing south from Prince Rupert many passengers.


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## STRIKES ROCK IN YUKON AND SINKS

### Steamer La France Stove Large Hole in Hull—Passengers Gotten Off

Dawson, Y. T., May 23.—The steamer La France, one of the first fleet sailing from La Barge for Dawson this year, struck a rock off Thirty-Mile River, twelve miles above Hootalinqua, and stove a hole in her hull. She sank and now lies with two feet of water over her deck.

The passengers were gotten safely ashore and were transferred to the steamer Pauline which proceeded on her way to her destination. All the La France's cargo also was gotten ashore safely except 25 cases of oranges and lemons.

It is said the vessel will be raised and repaired and ready to proceed by Wednesday. The river is very low above Yukon Crossing, which causes many rocks to be exposed.

The other Lake La Barge steamers passed safely and will arrive in Dawson to-day.

## LOST SET OF SAILS AND DAMAGES SPARS

### Schooner Americana Reaches San Francisco From Newcastle—Carry Lumber

San Francisco, Cal., May 23.—The schooner Americana got in late Sunday night after a long and stormy passage of 90 days from Newcastle, Australia. She lost a complete set of sails in February and later sustained considerable damage to her spars. She brought 1,320 tons of coal for Hind, Rolph & Co. After discharging and repairing, the Americana will proceed to Willapa Harbor and Puget Sound to load lumber for Australia, having been chartered by J. J. Moore & Co., at 35s for Sydney, 37s 6d for Brisbane, and 41s 3d for Wellington.

The Kosmos liner Sisak arrived yesterday morning from Tacoma to finish loading for Hamburg. She will leave to-night. The steamer Serak of the same line, which left this coast several months ago, reached Hamburg Saturday, about a month behind schedule time. She arrived at St. Nazaare, France, April 2, and was tied up there six weeks by a strike of dock laborers.

The schooner Dauntless arrived last evening from Bellingham with lumber. The barquentine Amaranth, which has just arrived at Sydney, has been chartered by Hind, Rolph & Co., to load lumber on the Sound or Willapa Harbor for Sydney at 37s 6d, Brisbane at 41s 3d, or a port on the west coast of South America, at 45s. These rates indicate an increase. The Amaranth will bring coal here from Newcastle.

The British steamer Strathearn left for Eureka yesterday to load a lumber cargo for Australia. She will finish on the Sound.

## WIRELESS REPORTS

May 23, 8 a.m.

Point Grey—Clear; wind N.W.; 30.04; 54; sea smooth. In, Monteagle at 7.50 a.m.

Cape Lazo—Clear; wind N.W.; 29.97; 51; sea moderate. Spoke revenue cutter Snohomish at 9.20 p.m. northbound off Village Bay.

Tatoosh—Clear; wind N.E. 3 miles; 29.97; 48; sea moderate. In, steamer Governor at 7.30 p.m.; outside bound in, steamer Tiverton.

Pachena—Clear; wind N.W.; 29.65; 60; light swell. Spoke Zealandia at 1 a.m. 900 miles off Cape Flattery southbound.

Estevan—Clear; wind N. light; 29.60; 48; slight swell.

Triangle—Overcast; wind N.W. 56 miles; 29.43; 39; sea rough. Spoke Prince George at 6.30 p.m. in Millbank Sound southbound.

Ikeda—Clear; wind N. strong; 30.22; 48; heavy swell. Sealing schooner Lady Mine in Rose Harbor; Thomas F. Bayard in Ikeda Bay and Pescawha in Collison Bay.

Prince Rupert—Clear; 30.27; 53; sea smooth. In, State of California at 8 p.m., out again at 10.25 p.m. northbound, reports meeting City of Seattle at 10.25 p.m. northwest of Sarah Island, Prince George off Point Trivett at noon yesterday, Princess May at 5.25 p.m. off West Inlet, all southbound.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; wind N. light; sea smooth. Lillooet at Skidegate.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear sky, wind N. W., 29.96, 62, sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Overcast. Calm, 29.95, 54, sea moderate. Spoke U. S. S. Revenue Cutter Tahoma northbound off here at 8:30 a. m., Prince George southbound at 10:15 a. m.

Tatoosh—Clear, wind N. E., 8 miles, 29.93, 53, sea moderate. In ship Rance in tow of tug Goliath at 11:20 a. m.

Pachena—Clear, wind S. E., light, 29.65, 62, sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear, wind north, light, 29.60, 63, sea smooth. U. S. S. cruiser abeam of here at 10:10 a. m. unable to distinguish signals, spoke Tees docking at Tofino at 11:30 a. m.

Triangle—Cloudy, wind S. W., 56 miles, 29.41, 46, sea rough. Spoke Princess May southbound off Pine Island.

Ikeda—Clear, sky; wind north, stron, 29.22, 50, heavy swell.

Prince Rupert—Clear sky, 30.25, 60, sea smooth. Out Prince Albert towing North Bend at 9:40 a. m.

Dead Tree Point—Clear sky, wind N. E. light, sea smooth.

## GRAIN SHIPS RACING TO UNITED KINGDOM

### Blythswood, Well Known Here, and Two French Vessels Should Report Soon

Word is expected daily of the arrival at United Kingdom ports of the last of Puget Sound's fleet of sailing ships carrying grain for the present season. The British barque Lynton, which towed out from Commencement Bay New Year's morning, is reported arriving at Falmouth last Thursday, having made the passage in the fair time of 137 days. While this is not a smart run, the Lynton did much better than several others of the fleet earlier in the season, which were considerably more than five months en route.

Sound shipping men are speculating on the rival passages of the British ship Blythswood, Capt. H. Johnson, and the French barque Amiral de Cornulier, which towed out to sea January 12, within a half hour of each other. These two grain carriers are each 131 days out to-day and should be reported any time. Added interest attaches to this race over a course of 15,000 miles around stormy Cape Horn, because the French ship Duquesne must also be reckoned with. The Duquesne towed to sea, after loading wheat at Tacoma, on Friday, January 13, but Capt. Roze evidently had no fear of a hoodoo although in the opinion of old time sea dogs he tempted fate by beginning a long and dangerous passage on a Friday and worst of all on the 13th.

The Blythswood completed her cargo January 4 and towed out the day following. However, on account of a terrific southwest gale, the Blythswood was compelled to lie at anchor in Neah Bay for a week. In the meantime the Amiral de Cornulier had better luck. She was made ready for sea a week later than the Blythswood but when she towed out the storm had subsided and she was not delayed. The Blythswood, after an aggravating wait at Neah Bay, went out the same afternoon and the Duquense followed the day following. These are the last grain carriers of the 1910-11 season from Puget Sound.

### MAKING LONG PASSAGE.

American Ship Alex. Gibson 284 Days Out From Tacoma for New York.

After a slow and eventful passage from Tacoma with a cargo of lumber and heavy timbers, the old American ship Alex. Gibson is due this week in New York. She is out 284 days to-day. This is probably the last voyage of the Gibson under her own canvas, as it is understood she has been sold to owners on the Atlantic, who will convert her into a barge.

The Gibson, commanded by Capt. Southard, left Tacoma August 7, for New York. She was not heard from again until she put in at Valparaiso, November 19, badly damaged as a result of severe weather. She was delayed at the Chilean port 55 days effecting repairs and is understood to have left a part of her cargo there. She sailed again for New York January 12, and on May 1 was reported from Barbadoes, where she was delayed two days. While no report was received from the Gibson from Barbadoes, it is believed she put in there for supplies.

Officers of the Pacific National Lumber Company expect the ship to reach New York early this week. The ship has on board some of the heaviest timbers ever taken from the Sound, including a shipment of heavy pieces 36 by 36 inches and 70 to 80 feet long. These are on deck. Each piece weighs about 26,000 pounds. There are other shipments of timbers ranging from 20 by 20 inches, 60 to 80 feet long; 24 by 24 inches, 80 to 90 feet long, and 30 by 30 inches, 60 to 80 feet long.

### FASTEST YACHT IN WORLD.

New American Pleasure Craft Built to Make Thirty-five Knots.

At the Morris Heights, N. Y., yards of the Gas Engine & Power Co. and Charles L. Seabury & Co., the steam yacht Sovereign was successfully launched April 21. The Sovereign was built under a guarantee to be the fastest yacht in the world. This speed wonder has been constructed for M. C. D. Borden, of New York and Fall River, and is designed to make 35 miles an hour.

Mr. Borden, who is one of the oldest members of the New York Yacht Club, has owned many handsome yachts whose records for speed have made them conspicuous, but nothing to compare with the Sovereign! This yacht was built from the design of Charles L. Seabury, and is 165 feet over all, 158 feet at the water line, four foot, six inches draft and has a beam of 16 feet. She has twin screws.

Thirty-five miles an hour—the speed guaranteed by the Sovereign's builders—has never before been attempted in a vessel of this type, and its achievement will become a record in naval architecture and marine engineering. The new yacht will have four smokestacks, giving her the distinctiveness in this respect that no other pleasure craft in this country possesses and in other ways her appearance will attract much attention.

The Sovereign has a bronze keel. The stern is of steel with bronze bushings and the stern post is a steel plate, flanged and fitted to the counter. The frames are of galvanized steel, the floor of steel plates, the garboard strake and bilge plating of Tobin bronze. The sheerstrake and side plating are of steel, as are the keelson, deck beams, bulkhead and engine foundations.

The machinery will consist of two triple expansion engines, and the steam will be gathered by two watertube boilers. The Sovereign will be fitted with steam steering gear and will be handled from the bridge at the after end of the forward deck house. The yacht will be lighted throughout with electricity and has excellent accommodations for her owner.

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## MARINE NOTES

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Last night the C.P.R. steamer Queen City returned to this port from Rivers Inlet and way points with a number of passengers and much freight. She left again for the east coast at noon to-day.

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The management of the Canadian-Australian Royal Mail line in New Zealand and Australia is now inviting applications from shippers for cold storage space for frozen meat, butter, rabbits, etc. As all applications must be filed by shippers not later than July 1, 1911, it is necessary for importers to communicate promptly with their shippers.

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The freighter Hazel Dollar, which grounded and was badly damaged on the south end of Whidby Island May 3, was towed into Seattle on Sunday by the tug Tyee and berthed at the Heffernan plant, and will be docked for survey and repairs. Although she was running light, she came in badly down by the head. She was towed to Everett after being gotten off the island, and the Washington Stevedoring Company discharged her lumber cargo, completing the work Saturday.

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After a consultation between underwriters and owners, a contract has been awarded to the Puget Sound Salvage Company to raise the sunken steamer Tampico of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's fleet, which went to the bottom in Seattle early Friday morning. The matter was settled soon after the arrival from Everett of Capt. W. H. Logan, representing the London Salvage Association, Capt. S. B. Gibbs, surveyor for the San Francisco board of marine underwriters, being present, as was E. C. Ward, assistant general manager of the owning company.

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That Seattle shipping men interested in lines between the Sound and Alaska are soon to make an effort to secure additional vessels for the coast and geodetic survey service work in Alaska is highly probable. The importance of the work of charting Alaskan waters, and the evident fact that decades will be required to complete the work with the present vessels and equipment, has been forced upon Alaska steamship men by the annual harvest of vessels gathered by the hundreds of uncharted pinnacle rocks in Alaskan waters.

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## THE WAIL OF THE WALLOPPED M. P. P.

### Mr. Hawthornthwaite Explains Why He Did Not Obey Nanaimo Local S. P. C.

In appeal from the action of the Nanaimo Local, No. 3, of the Socialist party of Canada, J. H. Hawthornthwaite, M.P.P., sent his side of the story, assuming the defensive and appealing from the act of the local which had expelled him. As the facts in the case of the local were published in the Times, the following is the letter of Mr. Hawthornthwaite as printed in the B. C. organ of E. T. Kingsley, who is the only Red Chamber member of the parent order and head of the Socialist party of Canada:

Victoria, B.C., May 14th, 1911.

D. G. MacKenzie, Secretary Provincial Executive, S. P. of C.:

Comrade:—I wrote you a short time ago stating that some trouble had arisen between Local Nanaimo and myself which I desired to place before the executive at the earliest moment.

The facts are briefly as follows:

I was instructed by Nanaimo local in April, 1910, to proceed to carry on organization work, in conjunction with Comrade Williams, in Comox district and Nanaimo Dominion electoral district, which includes outskirts of Victoria. I was further instructed to make arrangements with Victoria local. This latter I did and proceeded to hold meetings around Victoria, having arranged with Parker Williams that the more outlying districts could be jointly attended to when farmers had more time, later in the season to be present. Victoria local opened a fund and some successful meetings were held. On reporting this later to Nanaimo local a row at once started and I was openly accused of endeavoring to build up the Dominion electoral district for my own political benefit. I tried to assure members of the local that I had no personal ambitions, and had never sought nomination at their hands. I was instructed to go into Comox district. I pointed out that I could only do so under instruction from the provincial executive, and all collections would have to be dealt with by that organizatioan. This was considered "flim-flam," and only made further trouble and heated discussion.

This unsatisfactory state of affairs continued for some time, during which my actions were continually harshly criticised outside of the local by certain of its members. I was then appointed local organizer and, previous to the session, arranged several successful meetings, with outside speakers, in Nanaimo opera house, in addition to the usual propaganda meetings. During the last eight years I have invariably attended these except during sessions of the House, or while attending outside meetings. In fact it is safe to say that during the past eight years I have spoken whenever possible upon some Socialist platform at least several times each month.

During the last session the government introduced a bill to introduce a new Coal Mines Regulation Act. Comrade Williams and myself, as will be seen by the Clarion's reports, introduced a mass of important amendments, and were successful in having many embodied in the Act. During its discussion Premier McBride introduced a clause, the effect of which would be to destroy the "eight-hour day in coal mines," which we fought so hard to obtain a few years previously. In response to our energetic attack and appeal, the inister held this over and later, in the House, announced his intention of withdrawing it, and also his acceptance of several of our amendments. I briefly thanked him (and every Socialist knows what such "thanks" amount to), and went on to say that if he would accept some other amendments, more particularly the one introduced by Comrade Williams, to give the miners the power to elect their own inspectors at the government's expense, the bill would then be (in my opinion), the best in the world. This is one of the charges, as the report shows. Shortly previous to this the local had nominated John Wilmot Place and James MacIntosh for positions as chief warder and assistant warder of the provincial jail in Nanaimo, which was being re-opened, and as usual, nominated a number of others for the positions of commissioners to take affidavits under the Election Act, and other positions. I duly turned all these in together with a number of others, possibly fifty or more applications for the commissioners, etc., received from different portions of the province. I was not aware that these latter had not been acted upon until informed by Parker Williams, to whom the Nanaimo local had made representation. I then immediately filed duplicate applications for the positions of commissioners in every case with the exception of Nanaimo, which Comrade Williams had attended to himself. These are I believe being issued everywhere.

The government refused to accept the nominations of Place and MacIntosh for the positions of chief and assistant warders, and declined to accept the nominations given for police and license commissioners, and I reported this matter to the local. A furious discussion took place, and I was openly accused amongst other things of simply using my position as a member to extend my own political influence. This sort of thing could not go on so I turned in my resignation, and asked them to nominate some one else, and fix a date for my official resignation to be sent in to the Speaker. I announced my intention to so retire in the House at the earliest possible date and then proceeded to go into business in Victoria. I next received a letter from the local asking what I meant by the Clarion report of my resignation, and in reply wrote the letter published. I received a further letter telling me to send in my resignation on April 1st. Now I did not consider that this matter was any April fool joke, no matter what the "committee," Place and MacIntosh, thought. Further had I acted on those instructions the government would unquestionably have rushed an election through in two weeks or less, before there was any chance whatever to attend to the lists, the revision taking place in May, and I would have been charged then with the inevitable consequence, the loss of the seat.

In the meantime I was being openly denounced by certain members of the local, the walls of the headquarters were decorated with brilliant cartoons of myself and a reporter of the Liberal press was knowingly, or otherwise, allowed to examine and report. Hence the Times cartoon and screed.

I next received a letter from the secretary asking me what I intended to do. I did not answer either of these letters, feeling sure that the local, swayed by the personal malice of certain members, was not acting in the interests of the party generally, and I wrote to the executive as explained. If the local was "flim-flammed" it was, in part, by the agents of the Conservative and Liberal parties and by the Daily Times, who have succeeded in making the election of their nominee in the coming election possibly somewhat less arduous. Comrade Parker Williams, on behalf of the local, next interviewed me, and I informed him that I intended and was providing to lay the matter before the executive, but the local apparently decided to take public action before waiting the result, and appointed the committee accordingly.

I would draw the attention of the executive to the difficulty of maintaining for long periods of time the good feeling in small locals like Nanaimo. One or two members actuated by personal feeling or malice can frequently exert powerful influence for good or bad. It is difficult for any representative, no matter how anxious he may be to do what is right, under such circumstances, to please even a minority, and sometimes the conditions are rendered unbearable. So far as the Nanaimo local is concerned, however, I have never had reason to object very much to its actions, and have always, until these troubles arose, been treated with great personal consideration. In this instance, however, any fair-minded person must see that even if all the alleged "charges" are true, I have not, more particularly after some twelve years of faithful service in the cause of the workers, deserved the harsh treatment accorded. I enclose herewith my undated resignation, addressed to the Speaker of the House, which I trust the executive will act upon.

Yours in revolt,

J. H. HAWTHORNTHWAITE.


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## TWO BLAST FURNACES FORCED TO SUSPEND

### Blown Out at Grand Forks on Account of Crow's Nest Pass Strike

Grand Forks, May 23.—During the past week six furnaces have been in operation at the Granby smelter in this city, treating 18,623 tons of ore from the company's own mines, as well as 403 tons for foreign ore. The total smelter treatment for last week was 19,026 tons, while for the year to date the total is 442,632 tons.

Two furnaces were compelled to close down Saturday afternoon owing to the strike of the coal miners of the Crow's Nest Pass and the inability of the Granby Company to secure coke from that district. Four furnaces are still in blast.

Shipments of ore from the Granby mines at Phoenix will continue until the middle of next week, when these will have to be discontinued. It is stated that there will not be very many miners laid off at the mines, as the company will do a large amount of development work during the temporary shut down of the smelting works in this city.

### INCREASED WAGES

Vancouver, May 22.—City Engineer Fellowes, at the meeting of the Waterworks committee recommended increased wages as follows:

"I find that there has been a reconsideration of the rates paid to the employees of the Water Department by which an increase in the neighborhood of 3½ cents per hour has been provided for. It appears that no corresponding increase was considered as regards the Waterworks Department. I can only point out that if the increases granted in the Water Department are justified, that it appears to your engineer that there is every reason why similar increases should be granted to the employees in the Waterworks Department, and I would, therefore, recommend that all blacksmiths, carpenters, machinists, pipelayers, pipefitters and corkers receive an increase which will place them in equity with the Works Department."

The committee adopted the recommendation.


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### VERNON ASSIZES.

Vernon, May 22.—Mr. Justice Morrison presided at the spring assizes here. His lordship briefly addressed the grand jury, congratulating them upon the fact that the list which they would have to consider was not long, nor were the offences of the most serious nature. They were as follows: Rex vs. Murk, perjury; Rex. vs. Brown, horse stealing; Rex vs. Hamshan, horse stealing.

The first case, the judge stated, was one which should not have been sent to the assizes. Henry Murk was a municipal constable at Penticton, and the depositions showed that, in the course of his duties he had arrested two men charged with disorderly conduct. The case against one of these was dismissed by the magistrate, and Constable Murk was charged with having given false evidence in prosecuting the case. His lordship said that municipal constables could not be expected to have the experience in preparing cases that a metropolitan officer had, and a mistake might easily be made without any intent to deceive. In the other two cases he thought they would have no difficulty in finding true bills.

The grand jury sent in a true bill in the case of Ernest Brown and Hamshan, and threw out the charge against H. Murk.

In the case against Ernest Brown of Kamloops, charged with stealing a horse from L. H. Patten of Hedley, the jury failed to reach an agreement, and were dismissed.

The next case was that of an Indian from Hedley, also charged with stealing a horse from a man named Griffin. The jury brought in a verdict of "not guilty," the foreman adding a rider to the effect that the police were deserving of criticism for their poor preparation of the case in not securing the man from whom the accused claimed to have got the horse.

The Brown case was then tried over again. They found the accused "guilty of an attempt at theft," and he was sentenced to one year in jail, the time of his sentence to start with his arrest last January.

The case of Dake, the Enderby jeweler charged with arson and fraud, upon which a jury had disagreed at the fall assizes, was again adjourned, the Crown not being able to proceed on account of the absence of some of the witnesses. Dake was accordingly held, in his own recognizance, to appear for trial at the next court of assize.

### TO HAVE WATERWORKS.

Wilmer, B. C. May 22.—A Waterworks company for this village is being organized. So far many generous subscriptions have been received and there is every reason to believe that in the course of another six weeks at the outside the first sod will be turned in the opening up of this project which will supply the requirements of the people.

### PROBABLY DROWNED.

Lillooet, May 22.—According to a report received here, Patrick Fountain, an Indian, fell off a bluff into the Fraser river and was drowned. Fountain was last seen alive by some persons who passed him while he lay in a drunken stupor on the road near the river. A few hours later he was missing. His hat was found on the edge of the bluff.

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BURNSIDE ROAD

# CITY OF VICTORIA

**A Complete List of Local Improvement Works, Authorized by By-Law, from Time to Time, Will Be Found Posted on the Bulletin Board at the Main Entrance to City Hall**

## Local Improvement Assessment

TAKE NOTICE that the Corporation of the City of Victoria intend to pass local improvement assessment by-laws for each of the under-mentioned streets, assessing upon the properties in the schedules hereinafter mentioned the sums of money for the length of time set opposite each said lot as follows:

**Camosun Street from Pandora Avenue to Grant Street, Grading, Draining, Sidewalks Both Sides with Curbs, Gutters: Sewer Laterals.**

| NAME OF OWNER | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Waites Geo. | | 28 | 42-3 | Spring Ridge | 58.0 | $1.81 | $ 105.00 | $ 12.95 | $ 129.50 |
| B. C. Corporation | | 27 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| B. C. Corporation | | 26 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Ping Foi | | 25 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Ping Foi | | 24 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Knott H. T. | | 14 | 29 | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Knott H. T. | N. pt. | 13 | " | " | 8.0 | " | 14.50 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| Moore Miss Ethel M. | S. pt. | 13 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 90.50 | 11.15 | 111.50 |
| Fitzpatrick Robt. F. | | 12 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| McMorran E. J. L. | W. pt. | 11 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| McMorran E. J. L. | pt. | 10 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Grant Hugh | | 5 | 30 | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Grant Hugh | E. pt. | 6 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| McMorran A. W. | | 7 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| McCrimmon E. | | 8 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Fair David | | 9 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Roberts Rev. A. E. | E. pt. | 19 | 41 | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Roberts Rev. A. E. | E. pt. | 20 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Dalziel H. | | 21 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Sprinkling M. M. | | 22 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| Sprinkling W. A. | | 23 | " | " | 58.0 | " | 105.00 | 12.95 | 129.50 |
| | | | | | 1,160.0 | | $2,100.00 | $259.00 | $2,590.00 |
| 6 Water connections | | | | | | | 60.00 | | |
| Amount chargeable to the City | | | | | | | 529.68 | | |
| Sewer connections | | | | | | | 114.80 | | |
| Total | | | | | | | $2,804.48 | | |

**Sewer Connections, Camosun Street.**

| NAME OF OWNER | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| B. C. Corporation | | 27 | 42-3 | Spring Ridge | Each | | $ 14.35 | $ 1.80 | $ 18.00 |
| B. C. Corporation | | 26 | " | " | " | | 14.35 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| Knott H. T. | | 14 | 29 | " | " | | 14.35 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| McMorran A. W. | | 7 | 30 | " | " | | 14.35 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| Fair David | | 9 | " | " | " | | 14.35 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| Dalziel H. | | 21 | 41 | " | " | | 14.35 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| Sprinkling M. M. | | 22 | " | " | " | | 14.35 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| Sprinkling W. A. | | 23 | " | " | " | | 14.35 | 1.80 | 18.00 |
| | | | | | | | $114.80 | $14.40 | $144.00 |

**Camosun Street (Water Connections), from Grant Street to Pandora Avenue.**

| NAME OF OWNER | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Knott H. T. | | 14 | 29 | Spring Ridge | Each | | $10.00 | $1.25 | $12.50 |
| McMorran A. W. | | 7 | 30 | " | " | | 10.00 | 1.25 | 12.50 |
| Sprinkling W. A. | | 23 | 41 | " | " | | 10.00 | 1.25 | 12.50 |
| Ping Foi | | 25 | 42-3 | " | " | | 10.00 | 1.25 | 12.50 |
| B. C. Corporation | | 26 | " | " | " | | 10.00 | 1.25 | 12.50 |
| B. C. Corporation | | 27 | " | " | " | | 10.00 | 1.25 | 12.50 |
| | | | | | | | $60.00 | $7.50 | $75.00 |

**Blanchard Street, West Side, from Bay Street to Queens Avenue. Sidewalk 6.0 Wide. By-Law No. 114.**

| NAME OF OWNER | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cummings M. J. and Kirkwood J. W. | | 6 | 4-0 | Finlayson | 120.0 | $1.47 | $176.40 | $21.75 | $217.50 |
| Fraser Dr. W. F. | | 5 | 4-0 | " | 50.0 | " | 73.50 | 9.05 | 90.50 |
| Geiger J. F. | | 4 | 4-0 | " | 50.0 | " | 73.50 | 9.05 | 90.50 |
| Beecher Ada | | 3 | 4-0 | " | 50.0 | " | 73.50 | 9.05 | 90.50 |
| Burkholder W. H. and Mrs. | | 2 | 4-0 | " | 60.0 | " | 88.20 | 10.90 | 109.00 |
| Burkholder W. H. and Mrs. | | 1 | 4-0 | " | 79.6 | " | 116.85 | 14.40 | 144.00 |
| | | | | | 409.6 | | $601.95 | $74.20 | $742.00 |
| Amount payable by the City | | | | | | | 150.77 | | |
| Total | | | | | | | $752.72 | | |

**Vining Street from Belmont Avenue to Stanley Avenue, Curbs, Gutters and Boulevards.**

| NAME OF OWNER. | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gleason W. A. | | 33 | 69 | Fernwood | 110.0 | $9 1/2 | $ 100.95 | $ 12.45 | $ 124.50 |
| Gleason W. A. | | 35 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Gleason W. A. | | 37 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Margison Rudolph | | 39 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Grice John R. | | 41 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Vaughan E. | | 43 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Driver Chas. E. | | 45 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| McKenzie Alex. | | 47 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Harris Chas. | | 49 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Robbins Moses R. | | 51 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| McKinnon Alex. D. | | 53 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| De Vuelle, Mrs. J. A. | | 58 | " | " | 120.0 | " | 110.10 | 13.60 | 136.00 |
| Rossi C. A. | 1 | 59 | " | " | 30.0 | " | 27.55 | 3.40 | 34.00 |
| Ross C. A. | 2 | " | " | " | 30.0 | " | 27.55 | 3.40 | 34.00 |
| Rossi C. A. | 3 | " | " | " | 30.0 | " | 27.55 | 3.40 | 34.00 |
| Victoria Transfer Co. | 4 | " | " | " | 30.0 | " | 27.55 | 3.40 | 34.00 |
| Russell Jabez J. | | 64 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Slater Thos. H. | | 66 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Wai Wm. Thos. | | 68 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Harris Mrs. Jessie | | 70 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Jackson Sarah | W. pt. | 72 | " | " | 25.0 | " | 22.95 | 2.85 | 28.50 |
| McGregor D. S. | E. pt. | 72 | " | " | 25.0 | " | 22.95 | 2.85 | 28.50 |
| McGregor D. S. | W. pt. | 74 | " | " | 10.0 | " | 9.20 | 1.15 | 11.50 |
| Charlton Mrs. A. C. | E. pt. | 74 | " | " | 40.0 | " | 36.70 | 4.55 | 45.50 |
| Atkins Martha J. | | 76 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| McKenzie John | | 78 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Donovan Thos. | | 80 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Donovan Thos. | | 82 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 45.90 | 5.65 | 56.50 |
| Goodacre L. et al. | | 84 | " | " | 105.0 | " | 96.35 | 11.90 | 119.00 |
| | | | | | 1,455.6 | | $1,335.60 | $164.65 | $1,646.50 |
| Amount chargeable to City | | | | | | | 331.55 | | |
| Total | | | | | | | $1,667.15 | | |

**St. Andrews Street from Simcoe Street to Niagara Street, Grading, Surfacing, Draining, Sidewalks both sides, Curbs, Gutters and Boulevards, &c.**

| NAME OF OWNER | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Templeman Hon. W. | | 14 | 2 | Beckley Farm | 130.0 | $6.27½ | $815.75 | $100.60 | $1,006.00 |
| Jenkinson Nellie R. | | 18 | " | " | 130.0 | " | 815.75 | 100.60 | 1,006.00 |
| Blaiklin Flora J. | pt. | 23 | " | " | 65.0 | " | 407.95 | 50.30 | 503.00 |
| McKelvie Henry B. | pt. | 23 | " | " | 65.0 | " | 407.95 | 50.30 | 503.00 |
| Colderwood Jessie L. | | 29 | " | " | 160.0 | " | 1,004.00 | 123.85 | 1,238.50 |
| Peake Lionel J. | Caledonia | 20 | " | " | 125.5 | " | 787.00 | 97.05 | 970.50 |
| Tobin A. H. | " | 21 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| Wellham Bella | " | 22 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| Bissell Gilbert H. | " | 23 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| McInnes Marion | " | 24 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| Thompson Robt. R. | " | 25 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| Hunter Capt. James | " | 26 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| Milloy Elizabeth | " | 27 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| Milloy Elizabeth | " | 28 | " | " | 50.0 | " | 313.75 | 38.70 | 387.00 |
| Pearson Chas. H. and Selina | " | 1 | " | " | 125.5 | " | 313.75 | 97.05 | 970.50 |
| | | | | | 1,200.10 | | $7,535.40 | $929.35 | $9,293.50 |
| Amount chargeable to City | | | | | | | 1,885.41 | | |
| Sewer connections | | | | | | | 78.94 | | |
| Total | | | | | | | $9,499.75 | | |

**Sewer Connections, St. Andrews Street.**

| NAME OF OWNER | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thompson Robt. R. | | 25 | 2 | Beckley Farm | Each | | $19.73½ | $2.45 | $24.50 |
| Hunter Capt. James | | 26 | " | " | " | | 19.73½ | 2.45 | 24.50 |
| Milloy Elizabeth | | 27 | " | " | " | | 19.73½ | 2.45 | 24.50 |
| Milloy Elizabeth | | 28 | " | " | " | | 19.73½ | 2.45 | 24.50 |
| | | | | | | | $78.94 | $9.80 | $98.00 |

**St. Lawrence Street from Erie to Dallas Road, Sidewalks, Grade and Macadam.**

| NAME OF OWNER | Sub-division. | Lot. | Block. | Section. | Feet Front. | Rate per Foot Front. | Total. | Ten Years Annual Payment. | Total Ten Years Annual Payment. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Reynolds Belinda J. | E. pt. | 1342 | 46 | | 120.0 | $2.58 | $ 309.60 | $ 38.20 | $ 382.00 |
| Maynard Jane and Stockham Thos. | | 1441 | " | | 120.0 | " | 309.60 | 38.20 | 382.00 |
| Maynard Jane and Stockham Thos. | | 1440 | " | | 120.0 | " | 309.60 | 38.20 | 382.00 |
| Hambley W. J. | pt. | 15 | 29 | Beckley Farm | 115.0 | 2.25 | 258.75 | 31.90 | 319.00 |
| Petersen Bert. | pt. | 1E | " | " | 45.0 | " | 101.25 | 12.50 | 125.00 |
| Eastman S. W. | pt. | 2 | " | " | 60.0 | " | 135.00 | 16.65 | 166.50 |
| Donaldson J., Sr. | pt. | 1B | " | " | 60.0 | " | 135.00 | 16.65 | 166.50 |
| Andrews John T. | pt. | 1A | " | " | 60.0 | " | 135.00 | 16.65 | 166.50 |
| McNeil Wm. | pts. | 1 & 5 | " | " | 61.6 | " | 138.40 | 17.05 | 170.50 |
| Barber J. | pts. | 1 3A & 4 | " | " | 45.0 | " | 101.25 | 12.50 | 125.00 |
| Tait R. & Mary | | pt. 3A | " | " | 30.0 | " | 67.50 | 8.35 | 83.50 |
| Tait R. & Mary | | 3 | " | " | 145.0 | " | 326.25 | 40.25 | 402.50 |
| Sinclair R. | | 12 | 28 | " | 165.0 | " | 371.25 | 45.80 | 458.00 |
| Davies Rose & Sturgess Thos. M. | 1 | 13-16 | " | " | 33.9 | " | 75.95 | 9.35 | 93.50 |
| Ross Alexander | 2 | " | " | " | 33.9 | " | 75.95 | 9.35 | 93.50 |
| Bell A. M. (Estate of) | 3 | " | " | " | 33.9 | " | 75.95 | 9.35 | 93.50 |
| Bell A. M. (Estate of) | 4 | " | " | " | 33.9 | " | 75.95 | 9.35 | 93.50 |
| Baker Amy | 15 | " | " | " | 33.9 | " | 75.95 | 9.35 | 93.50 |
| Baker Amy | 16 | " | " | " | 33.9 | " | 75.95 | 9.35 | 93.50 |
| Johnson Euphemia | 17 | " | " | " | 33.9 | " | 75.95 | 9.35 | 93.50 |
| Finlayson Robt. & Mary R. | 18 | " | " | " | 37.6 | " | 84.35 | 10.40 | 104.00 |
| Bell A. M. (Estate of) | pts. | 22-4 | " | " | 37.6 | " | 84.35 | 10.40 | 104.00 |
| Walters A. A. | pts. | 22-4 | " | " | 90.0 | " | 202.50 | 24.95 | 249.50 |
| Johnson Edwin | | E. 24 | " | " | 120.0 | 2.58 | 309.60 | 38.20 | 382.00 |
| Clancy John | | 1446 | 50 | " | 120.0 | " | 309.60 | 38.20 | 382.00 |
| Sparks Thos. | | 1451 | " | " | 120.0 | " | 309.60 | 38.20 | 382.00 |
| McLean D. M. | | 1241 | 45 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1,281.6 | | $4,606.05 | $568.05 | $5,680.50 |
| Amount chargeable to the City | | | | | | | $1,146.54 | | |
| Total | | | | | | | $5,752.59 | | |

AND FURTHER take notice that the Court of Revision for the trial of complaints and appeals against the assessment so proposed to be made, will be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1911, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Council Chamber in the City Hall, corner of Douglas and Pandora Streets, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and any notice of appeal from each intended assessment must be served upon the undersigned at least eight days prior to such sittings.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
City Hall, Victoria, B. C.
May 18th, 1911.

# Municipal Notice

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement, Pine Street from Dominion Road to Craigflower Road, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary;

1a. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement, Craigflower Road, from Russell Street to Arm Street, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Road, also lateral connections to sewer, surface drains and water mains.

2. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Garbally Road from Gorge Road to Douglas Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on the south side of said road, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary.

3. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement, Fisguard Street from Government Street to Blanchard Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drain and water mains, and move poles, if necessary; also to lay conduits and lateral connections necessary for the placement of wires underground, as and when the same may be possible.

3a. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement, Herald Street from Government Street to Blanchard Street, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and move poles, if necessary, and to lay all conduits and lateral connections necessary for the placement of wires underground as and when the same may be possible.

5. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement Cormorant Street from Government Street to Blanchard Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street between Douglas Street and Government Street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to lay all conduits and lateral connections for the placement of wires underground as and when the same may be possible.

6. To grade, drain and pave with a cement concrete pavement Douglas Street from Fisguard Street to Pembroke Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary, also to lay all necessary conduits with all necessary lateral and other connections for the purpose of placing all telephone and other wires underground;

7. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement Quadra Street from Blanchard Street to Pandora Avenue, also to construct lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary, and to lay conduits and all necessary lateral connections for the purpose of placing wires underground as and when the same may be possible;

8. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Stanley Avenue from Fort Street to Pandora Avenue, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Avenue, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drain and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary;

9. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Harrison Street from Fort Street to Pandora Avenue and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water laterals, and to remove poles, if necessary;

10. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Elford Street from Fort Street to Pandora Avenue, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water laterals, and remove poles, if necessary;

11. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement Blanchard Street from Pandora Avenue to Burdette Avenue, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water laterals, to remove poles, if necessary, and to lay all conduits and lateral connections necessary for the placement of wires underground as and when the same may be necessary;

12. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement Fort Street from Linden Avenue to Yates Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary, also to lay conduits with all necessary lateral connections for the purpose of placing wires underground;

13. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Moss Street from Fort Street to Richardson Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary;

14. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement Broughton Street from Blanchard Street to Quadra Street, and to construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete, with curbs and gutters, on the north side of said street, and a curb and gutter on the south side of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary, also to lay conduits and all lateral connections for the placement of wires underground, as and when the same may be possible;

15. To grade, drain and pave with a heavy Standard asphalt pavement Courtney Street from Douglas Street to Quadra Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary;

16. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Collinson Street from Vancouver Street to Trutch Street, and to construct lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

17. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Richardson Street from Cook Street to Vancouver Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

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19. To grade, drain and pave with a light Standard asphalt pavement Government Street from Niagara Street to Dallas Road, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

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21. To grade, drain and pave with a light standard asphalt pavement Oswego Street from Belleville Street to Simcoe Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and to remove poles, if necessary;

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And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of this bylaw upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas Street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by bylaw in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, May 20, 1911.

## MUNICIPAL NOTICE

**The "Sewer Loan By-law, 1911";**
**The "Parks Loan By-law, 1911";**
**The "By-law for re-arranging the Market Building for Police Headquarters and Jail Purposes";**
**The "By-law to Amend By-law No. 392, being the Public Library By-law, 1902";**
**The "School Loan By-law, 1911."**

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And take notice that each by-law must be voted on separately, and that the said by-laws will not be valid or of any effect unless the vote polled in favor thereof be at least three-fifths of the vote polled.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 11th day of May, 1911.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Returning Officer.

## NOTICE

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## WHY CANADA WILL ADHERE TO TREATY

### Anglo-Japanese Compact is Inimical to Canadian Trade Interests

That the terms of the new treaty between Great Britain and Japan are not suitable to Canadian conditions and circumstances, and that is the chief reason why Canada declined to adhere to the treaty, is made clear in a return tabled in the Commons, in setting forth the reasons why Canada proposes to continue the existing treaty with Japan for a couple of years in order that she may have an opportunity to make a treaty of her own with the Mikado's Kingdom.

The return shows that since the announcement of the new pact between Great Britain and Japan, T. Nakamura, Japanese consul-general at Ottawa, took up with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues the question of the advisability of Canada adhering to the new treaty. Canada's reasons for declining to take this step are set forth in a letter addressed by Hon. W. S. Fielding under date of May 10, 1911, to the Japanese consul-general, in which the Canadian minister says he had observed that the terms and conditions of treaty do not seem to be in their entirety satisfactory to the circumstances of Canada, and that in consequence the Canadian ministers had some hesitation in advising that immediate adherence to its terms which the Japanese government desires.

Mr. Fielding then proceeds to point out that article 8 of the treaty provides that articles the product or manufacture of the United Kingdom, shall not on importation to Japan be subjected to higher customs duties than those specified in the schedules attached, also that articles, product or manufacture of Janan, shall be free of duty on importation into the United Kingdom.

Mr. Fielding goes on to say that there might be a question whether, in the event of Canada giving adherence to the treaty, the schedules would become applicable to Canada. He proceeds: Granting, however, that it would so apply, an examination of the details shows that, while no doubt well adapted to conditions of trade between Great Britain and Japan the schedule is not wholly suited to commercial interchange between Japan and Canada. Part I. of schedules of example, which contains a list of products upon which maximum duties are fixed, does not include many products in the export of which Canada is largely interested, and, on the other hand, part II. of the schedule, containing a list of Japanese products to which Great Britain agrees to give admission free of duty, includes silk and other articles which are dutiable on importation into Canada although free of customs duty in Great Britain.

In view of these circumstances, Mr. Fielding intimates: "If a commercial agreement is to be made to suit these conditions, it will probably have to be done by means of a separate treaty."

Mr. Fielding then states that Canada proposes to avail itself to the clause of the new agreement between Great Britain and Japan, which provides that in the event of Canada not desiring to adhere to the new treaty a temporary agreement can be made pending the framing of a new treaty.

"I would suggest," continued Mr. Fielding, "that leaving all other matters affecting intercourse between Japan and Canada to the mutual good will of the two countries and comity of nations, a temporary arrangement be made providing that from after July 17, 1911, Canada shall receive in Japan tariff treatment as expressed in the article of treaty of commerce and navigation between Great Britain and Japan signed at London on July 16, 1894, which was made applicable to Canada on Jan. 31, 1906."

The extension of the treaty applies only to trade and not to immigration treaty with Japan. In reference to the immigration question, Mr. Fielding says: "The question of immigration has been discussed between us on several occasions. I do not deem it necessary that it shall be more than mentioned here inasmuch as assurances have been received of the willingness of Japan to continue the friendly understanding on the matter at present existing, and which is entirely satisfactory."

### ROW AT CELEBRATION.

Vancouver, May 22.—Two comparatively light cases, one resulting in conviction and the other in acquittal, were disposed of at the criminal assize court. The first case taken was that of a Russian, who gave the Anglicized name of George Smith. It was alleged that last Christmas Eve he was one of a party of Russians who were celebrating the season on Prior street. Among them was a Madame Gouraski who appeared to be the only lady in the party. They had been feasting at one house and were going to another when Smith, who was walking ahead some distance, suddenly turned and fired a revolver at the crowd behind. Apparently no one was hit, though Nicholay Merozoff said the bullet whizzed past his ear. Naturally everyone sought cover, and information given to the police led to the arrest of Smith. His defence was drunkenness. He was charged with shooting with intent to kill, but the grand jury reduced the charge to carrying an offensive weapon and on this he was found guilty by the petit jury.

D. H. Evans was accused of having stolen by violence $22 from John Robertson in a Cordova Street hotel last February.

Evans admitted that he had been drinking but denied taking the money from Robertson. Evans had no counsel. After a short absence the jury returned with a verdict of "not guilty."

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## WILL USE CANADIAN NORTHERN TRACKS

### Great Northern Decides Not to Parallel Line Between Sumas Landing and Hope

Vancouver, May 23.—As foreshadowed several months ago, the Great Northern railway, has definitely abandoned the idea of building a line between Sumas Landing and Hope, a distance of 28 miles, a link in its proposed through Vancouver-Kootenay route over the Hope mountains. Instead it will use the tracks of the Canadian Northern railway.

Formal announcement of the arrangement negotiated by J. J. Hill with Sir William Mackenzie, president of the Canadian Northern railway, was made by J. H. Kennedy, chief engineer of the V., V. & E. railway, who returned from the east Saturday night. It was deemed unwise to parallel the gap between Sumas Landing and Hope with two roads and a big saving will consequently be effected.

It is well understood that the Canadian Northern, at least for the present, will not build a line between Port Mann and Port Kells. Mr. Hill will reciprocate by permitting the new transcontinental line to utilize his tracks between Port Kells and Vancouver.

Mr. Kennedy, however, stated that he had not been advised of the negotiations of any such arrangement.

In his recent tour, which occupied nearly one month, Mr. Kennedy visited Ottawa, Chicago and St. Paul. At Ottawa he appeared before the railway commission and secured approval of the plans of the V., V. & E. from the railhead at Tulameen in the Similkameen district to the summit of the Hope mountains at the source of Coquehalla river, a distance of 41 miles. All that remains to give Vancouver a direct route to the Kootenays is a 75-mile gap separating Tulameen from Hope. During his stay in St. Paul Mr. Kennedy had several interviews with L. C. Gilman, vice-president.

No instructions for the construction of the line from Tulameen to the summit have yet been issued. The work will be heavy.

The impression prevails that it will not be undertaken until next year, as the outfits of railway contractors have been withdrawn from railhead at Tulameen. During his stay in St. Paul Mr. Kennedy was authorized to call for tenders for the construction of nine wooden bridges on the line between Abbotsford and Sumas Landing. The specifications show that about five million feet of timber will be required for these proposed improvements.

## OUR LETTER BOX

### THE LIFEBOAT.

To the Editor:—I was amused at the account given in Saturday evening's issue of the timely assistance rendered by the lifeboat in the case of the stranding of the S. S. Don, when to anyone having a full knowledge of the circumstances it is plainly evident that a friend of mine was justified in his statement last fall that it is a farce to have a lifeboat stationed at the head of James Bay.

I live at the end of Oswego street, within sight of where the Don stranded, and was one of the first to see her. I immediately telephoned everybody I knew who had a launch to go to her assistance, but could find nobody at home. Going back to the Dallas road, I met Capt. Stratford and Mr. Allan, and together we went to the outer wharf to get the boat hanging there in the davits. No oars were in that boat, and none of the wharfingers seemed to know where they were kept. After wasting fifteen minutes in a vain search for oars, we jumped aboard the tug Lorne and swung out one of her boats. It was over an hour after the stranding when we arrived at the scene, and we found the Nanaimo pilot launch, the launch J. G. Cox and two rowboats there ahead of us. The Don and her tow were then off the rock and riding safely at anchor. I said to Mr. Buller: "Do you want any help?" and he said: "No, I am all right now; the Cox is going to tow me in." I then asked him if he wanted a boat to run a line to the launch, and he said, "No, I have a boat standing by." Seeing he was secure and needed no further assistance we returned to the Lorne and hoisted up the boat.

Some time after our return the lifeboat went out, and I suppose it was then they effected their rescue work.

Now, sir, I do not wish to bring discredit on the lifeboat or the efforts of the volunteer crew, but I maintain they are inefficient in the ordinary cases of emergency arising off the Dallas road. The only time the Don was in danger was the first few minutes after she struck. Being beam on to the sea, she was in danger of filling and slipping off the rock before assistance could arrive. This would certainly have happened had the wind been freshening instead of falling. In ordinary cases of accidents off the Dallas road assistance is sometimes needed badly and needed in a hurry. In my opinion this would be best effected by having a sealing boat, with air chambers in each end, stationed at the outer wharf, or in the cove off the Dallas hotel. With such a boat I would undertake, with the assistance of two men, to go out in any sea that runs off the Dallas road. I know of one case of a yacht capsizing off the Dallas road, and the two occupants clung to their craft until they drifted ashore about an hour after. With the increasing number of yachts and launches cruising about outside the harbor, an emergency boat of this kind would, in my opinion, do much more efficient service than a large lifeboat stationed at the head of James Bay.

CAPT. GEO. KIRKENDALE.

### DUSTY STREET CARS.

To the Editor:—Cannot something be done to make the street car people clean up their cars? How about the board of health, or are they non-existent in this beautiful city of ours? I do not know what our visitors may think, but I do know that I have been in most cities on both sides of the pond and never have I seen street cars in such a chronic state of filth as these in Victoria.

Sometimes a well intentioned but misguided conductor will at the end of a line produce a broom and stir up the dirt in the aisle of a car, but in a few minutes it settles on the seats and on the passengers' clothes. I understand there is one whole man to attend to this duty at the barns.

JOHN S. POTTER.
722 Pisguard St., Victoria, May 23, 1911.

### LION SALOON LICENSE.

To the Editor:—Your correspondent ..., in to-night's paper states that it is unjust for the sum of $4,000 to be paid for this license. Why is that? I say that if you take away a man's living (it certainly is his living, as outside investment cannot be reckoned in this case, if he has any), is he not entitled to some recompense? He also states that the public at large by their vote can do away with this license, not separated by itself but only by closing the whole of the saloons, and if he takes the number of voters who patronize the saloons I am afraid the majority would be the other way. No doubt it would be in the city's favor to close all the saloons, but what is the advantage when drink can be got in other places? As regards the city yard being placed in the district (where the saloon now is endangering the future of the children's lives) I say that the saloon is better by far, as children can be kept out, than any death trap caused by the smell of the manure, and the flies it causes to collect together, thereby contaminating everything they come in touch with, besides the various diseases which arise from the stench. I may say that I am a hte abstainer and ask "A" to be a man, put himself in the licensees' places, and I guarantee he would tell a different tale.

"LIVE AND LET LIVE."

### CANOE FATALITY.

Springfield, Mass., May 23.—The capsizing of a canoe in which four young people were spending the evening in Connecticut river, cost the lives of two of the party, Edwin Mecum and Annie Rooney. They were to have been married soon.

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# CHINESE MASSACRED BY MEXICAN REBELS

## Two Hundred and Six Reported Killed—Defenceless People Victims of Mob

Mexico City, May 23.—Official reports reaching here tell the story of a massacre of 206 Chinese at Torreon following the rebel occupation last week. Upon receipt of the news the Chinese charge d'affaires made formal representations to the Mexican government.

The details of the three-day battle and sacking of Torreon are replete with incidents of cruelty that show clearly that the rebel leaders did not hold their men in control, or else deliberately turned them loose to prey upon a conquered and defenceless people. The official advices do not give the number of dead, but taking the 206 Chinese as a basis, it is certain that the number is large. The last day of the battle was May 18. On that day General Lejero retired with his federal forces and the rebels entered the city. The citizens found themselves utterly unable to control the mob, and reports indicate that scores of innocent residents were victims.

Always antagonistic to the yellow race, the rebels and mob engaged in a race riot. A great part of the business of Torreon is conducted by Chinese, some of whom are wealthy, and, according to the reports, the rioters shot down or stabbed them without mercy.

### Opening of Fight.

Eagle Pass, Tex., May 23.—The Chinese at Torreon, Mex., were under arms when the rebel troops entered that city after a three days' battle, May 13, and fired the first shots that culminated in a concentrated attack by the insurrecto soldiers and the practical extermination of the Chinese colony, according to W. T. Lampo, editor of the Torreon Enterprise, who arrived here last night. No anti-American sentiment was manifested by the rebels, Lampo says, and no foreigners other than Chinese were killed.

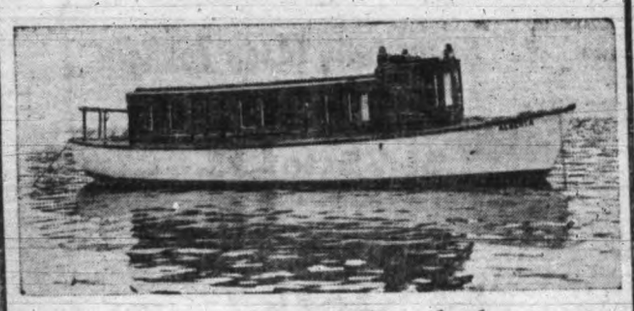
Dr. J. Lim, a Chinese physician, who is in charge of his country's affairs at Torreon, counted 240 bodies in the Chinese colony. Mr. Lampo states. Besides Chinese, 26 rebels, 15 federals and 34 non-combatants were killed in the three days fighting that preceded the evacuation by the federal troops.

Torreon had been besieged for weeks, Lampo asserted. One command under Cisto Ugalde, occupied Gomez, a suburb, and Jesus Flores and his band controlled LeErdo, another village on the outskirts. Other rebel forces were commanded by Augustin Castro, Jose Ramirez and Orato Pherrera. The first attack was made May 13 Ugalde coming in from the east and Flores through Guarache pass. Flores was killed while attempting to loosen a mounted rapid firing gun cemented in the mountain side which had been deserted by federals. In the afternoon the federals raked the rebels with artillery and musketry fire and repulsed them for the moment. The insurrecto lines were quickly reformed, however, and the attack was continued through Saturday night Sunday and Sunday night. General Lejuero, the federal commander, retreating with his troops early Monday morning.

Neither the citizens nor the attacking force were advised of Lejuero's intention, Mr. Lampo asserts, and he holds this omission responsible for the havoc wrought by the rebels Monday morning. When the rebels came into the city, a party of Chinese resisted the rebel advance at the Chinese gardens and forty were killed. Chinese under arms were informed that their banks would be looted, and the Orientals opened fire. Meeting resistance at another point, the invading forces centred their fire on the Chinese, practically exterminating the colony.

Emilio Madero arrived on Sunday evening and assumed personal command of the rebel troops. That Madero will respect the peace agreement is accepted as certain. However, Lampo says, a general exodus of Americans from the Torreon district has begun.


# FOR THE 24TH



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## ABOUT BASEBALL

Manager Wattelet promises the fans a good ball game on May 24. Thomas is slated to pitch and if he has control, Portland will have to go some to compile twelve runs.

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Umpire Baumgarten is not so bad. He is at all events an awful relief after what has been heard of these Northwestern League umps.

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In the junior league baseball game played yesterday between the Knights and Wards on the latter's grounds, the Knights were successful by a score of 8 to 5. Totty and Casey were the battery for the Knights and Lane and Williams pitched and caught for the Wards. Ward umpired.

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The baseball game at the Royal Athletic park, Victoria vs. Portland, tomorrow will start at 3 o'clock and not at 4. With the exception of this one day the time of games remains unchanged.

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The standing of Northwestern League teams is:

| | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Spokane | 21 | 9 | .700 |
| Vancouver | 20 | 11 | .645 |
| Tacoma | 17 | 15 | .531 |
| Portland | 14 | 15 | .482 |
| Seattle | 12 | 18 | .400 |
| Victoria | 7 | 23 | .233 |

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Catcher Schmidt, Detroit's mainstay behind the bat for some seasons, probably never will catch again for the Detroit Americans. His injured arm has not improved. Only twice has he appeared in the Detroit batting order this year, both times as a pinch hitter. In the last three games, in all of which pinch hitters were needed, he has been overlooked, even for that duty. The prize fight he engaged in last March is held responsible for his injury.

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The line-up for the East Ends in the game to be played with the Hills at Beacon Hill to-night is: Ward, E. Taylor, McKeown, A. McGregor, C. Baker, C. Kinlock, S. Humber, H. Aaronson and W. Pridham.

## 13 WEEKS IN HOSPITAL

### Came Away No Better and Then Two Boxes of Zam-Buk Worked Complete Cure.

Mr. Fred Mason, the well-known upholsterer and mattress manufacturer of St. Andrews, N. B., says: "I had eczema on my knee, which caused me terrible pain and inconvenience. The sore parts would itch and burn and tingle, and then when rubbed or scratched, would become very painful. I tried various remedies but got no better, so I decided to go to Montreal and take special treatment. I received treatment at the Montreal General Hospital for thirteen weeks, but at the end of that time I was not cured, and almost gave in. A friend advised me to give Zam-Buk a trial, and although I had little hope of it doing me good, I took the advice. Almost as soon as applied Zam-Buk stopped the itching and the irritation. I persevered with the balm, and it was soon evident that it would do me good. Each day the pain was reduced, the sore spots began to heal, and by the time I had used a few boxes of Zam-Buk I was cured."

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## FOUNDRY DESTROYED.

Fredericton, May 23.—The New Brunswick foundry, one of Fredericton's biggest industries, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is estimated at $30,000, insurance $16,500.

# CAPTAIN'S BRIDE FIGHTS PIRATES

## ACCISTS SHIP'S CREW TO REPULSE ATTACK

## Chinese Attempt to Loot Vessel, but Are Driven Off and Later Captured

New York, May 23.—The tale of a bride, whose skill with a rifle had considerable to do with saving her husband's ship from Chinese pirates is being told on the New York waterfront to-day by the crew of the Jutepolis, a four-masted clipper just in from China.

The twelve months' trip from New York to China and back was the honeymoon tour of Captain Franck Downs and his bride, formerly Miss Nellie Carter of Baltimore.

The Jutepolis was many miles up the Chu Kiang, a river of unsavory reputation, when the attack by pirates came. There were sixty of them, and they swarmed aboard the vessel while part of the crew was on shore leave. The members on board and skipper's bride, who is a crack rifle shot, were ready to receive them, however, with several lines of hose, pistols, belaying pins and the bride's rifle. A terrific fight followed, and in it Mrs. Downs took a prominent part. The pirates closed in on the little company, swinging knives and clubs. Mrs. Downs stood off a little and got in two effective shots. Finally the pirates fled.

The attempt to loot the ship was reported to the authorities and later the skipper and his mate were invited to Canton to see the pirates executed. They attended but did not recognize any of the pirates, chiefly because, as they remarked, all Chinamen looked alike to them.

The headsman's work was skilful. They heard that he was expected to decapitate at each blow and that a failure to do so would send him promptly to death by the same sword he had yielded. He did not miss a stroke.

## PUBLIC APATHY DEFEATS BY-LAWS

(Continued from page 1.)

necessary and burdensome attachments and the inauguration of modern and helpful additions, not the least of these latter being the children's room, which it was proposed to start this year. Now, however, these innovations and improvements have been voted down and the library will have to jog along as best it can under the circumstances. It was intended to vote $10,000 instead of $5,000 for the present year and to raise the maximum appropriation for any year to $25,000. It is claimed that $5,000 is not sufficient to pay the salaries of the present staff, so that instead of remaining stationary the institution will take a retrograde step as a result of the bylaw's failure to pass.

When the result of the Library vote was made known in the council chamber the city solicitor suggested that it might be possible to provide the necessary sum without recourse to a bylaw, but on investigating the matter it was found that such was not the case. He suggested, however, to Alderman Langley, the "father" of the Library bylaw, that he should bring the matter up again on a petition. It is very probable that this course will be followed in regard to both of the bylaws which failed to pass. In adopting this action the petitioners assume a certain responsibility for the expenditure incurred, but it is thought that there will be no difficulty in obtaining the necessary signatures to such a petition.

## THE CITY MARKET

| | |
|---|---|
| **Oils—** | |
| Pratt's Coal Oil | 1.50 |
| Eocene | 1.75 |
| **Meats—** | |
| Hams (B. C.), per lb. | .20@ .22 |
| Bacon (B. C.), per lb. | .23@ .28 |
| Ham (American), per lb. | .25 |
| Bacon (American), per lb. | .32 |
| Bacon (long clear), per lb. | .22 |
| Beef, per lb. | .10@ .30 |
| Pork, per lb. | .10@ .25 |
| Mutton, per lb. | .15@ .20 |
| Lamb, hindquarter | 2.50@ 3.00 |
| Lamb, forequarter | 1.75@ 2.00 |
| Veal, per lb. | .10@ .25 |
| Suet, per lb. | .15 |
| **Farm Produce—** | |
| Fresh Island Eggs | .35 |
| Butter, Cowichan | .60 |
| Butter, Victoria | .40 |
| Butter, Salt Spring | .40 |
| Butter (Eastern Townships) | .35 |
| Lard, per lb. | .20 |
| **Western Canada Flour Mills—** | |
| Purity, per sack | 1.80 |
| Purity, per bbl. | 7.10 |
| **Hungarian Flour—** | |
| Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack | 1.80 |
| Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl. | 7.10 |
| Robin Hood, per sack | 1.80 |
| Robin Hood, per bbl. | 7.10 |
| Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack | 1.80 |
| Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl. | 7.10 |
| Lake of Woods, per sack | 1.80 |
| Lake of Woods, per bbl. | 7.10 |
| Calgary Hungarian, per sack | 1.80 |
| Calgary Hungarian, per bbl. | 7.10 |
| Enderby, per sack | 1.80 |
| Enderby, per bbl. | 7.10 |
| **Pastry Flours—** | |
| Silver Bell | 1.75 |
| Snowflake, per sack | 1.75 |
| Snowflake, per bbl. | 7.00 |
| Vancouver Milling Co., Wild Rose | 1.75 |
| Drifted Snow, per sack | 1.75 |
| **Grain—** | |
| Wheat, chicken feed, per ton | 35.00@40.00 |
| Wheat, per lb. | .02½ |
| Barley | 40.00 |
| Whole Corn | 35.00 |
| Cracked Corn | 37.00 |
| Oats | 35.00 |
| Crushed Oats | 37.00 |
| Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk. | .35 |
| Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk. | .90 |
| Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk. | 1.90 |
| Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 80-lb. sk. | 3.60 |
| Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack | .50 |
| Oatmeal, 14-lb. sack | 2.75 |
| Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs. | .65 |
| Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs. | .55 |
| Wheat Flakes, per packet | .12½@ .25 |
| Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs. | .45 |
| Graham Flour, 10 lbs. | .50 |
| Graham Flour, 50 lbs. | 1.75 |
| **Feed—** | |
| Hay (baled), per ton | 22.00@25.00 |
| Straw, per ton | 16.00 |
| Middlings, per ton | 33.00 |
| Bran, per ton | 32.00 |
| Ground Feed, per ton | 33.00 |
| Shorts | 33.00 |
| **Poultry—** | |
| Dressed Fowl, per lb. | .35 |
| Ducks, per lb. | .25@ .30 |
| Geese (Island), per lb. | .20@ .25 |
| **Garden Produce—** | |
| Cabbage, per lb. | .03 |
| Potatoes (local) | 2.00 |
| Seed Potatoes, per sack | 3.25 |
| Onions, per lb. | .06 |
| Carrots, per lb. | .02 |

### WHOLESALE MARKET.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bacon | .21 |
| Hams | .17 |
| Lard | .13½ |
| Cheese | .15½@ .16 |
| Creamery Butter | .30@ .32 |
| Eggs | .24@ .32 |
| Apples | 2.50@ 3.50 |
| Bananas | .05½ |
| Beets, per sack | 2.50 |
| Cabbage, per lb. | .04@ .04½ |
| Cranberries, per bbl. | 12.50@14.00 |
| Cauliflower, per doz. | 2.00 |
| Grapefruit, per box | 4.00 |
| Lemons | 4.00@ 5.00 |
| Lettuce, per crate | 2.00 |
| Oranges, Navel, case | 3.25@ 4.00 |
| Potatoes, per ton | 50.00 |
| Onions (Australian), per cwt. | 4.00 |
| Florida Tomatoes | 5.50 |
| Turnips, per sack | 2.50 |
| Haddies, per lb. | .10 |
| Salmon, per lb. | .15 |
| Almonds, per lb. | .20 |
| Chestnuts, per lb. | .16 |
| Filberts, per lb. | .04 |
| Peanuts, roasted | .10 |
| Walnuts, per lb. | .16@ .21 |
| Dates, per lb. | .07½@ .08½ |
| Figs, per lb. | .10@ .12 |
| Cucumbers (hot-house), per doz. | 2.00 |
| Artichokes (Rose), per doz. | 1.25 |
| Parsley | .40 |
| Watercress | .40 |
| Asparagus | .10@ .12½ |
| Radishes, per doz. | .40 |
| Mint, fresh | .60 |
| Green Onions | .40 |
| Strawberries, per crate | 3.00 |
| Rhubarb (local) | .03@ .03½ |
| Asparagus (local) | .10@ .12½ |
| New Potatoes | .08 |
| New Green Peas | .10 |
| Sweet Potatoes | .07½@ .08 |
| Potatoes (new) | .07 |
| Green Peas | .10 |
| Strawberries | 3.00 |
| Cherries | 2.50 |

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## PARIS CHAUFFEURS STRIKE.

Paris, May 23.—Parisians are being greatly harassed by the strike of 2,200 chauffeurs which went into effect here to-day. The strikers this afternoon attacked a few non-unionist chauffeurs, cut the tires of the machines and threatened passengers. In several instances the police were called to disperse the strikers.

## FREE SPEECH IN MEXICO.

### Three Suffragettes Urge Soldiers to Desert Madero's Standard.

Juarez, May 23.—Three Mexican suffragettes, espousing the Socialistic cause of the rebels in Lower California, appeared in the streets here yesterday, exhorting the populace and what soldiers remained, to desert the Madero standard. Madero, they declared, does not represent the choice of the Mexican people in their cry for a Socialistic Utopia, but they think Richardo Magon does. Senor Madero was advised of the activities of the three women, but he declined to stop them, declaring that freedom of speech shall prevail in Mexico hereafter.

## CARNEGIE WILL TESTIFY.

Washington, D. C., May 22.—Andrew Carnegie has notified the house "steel trust" investigating committee that he is willing to appear before it and that no subpoena or legal document is needed to insure his presence in Washington when desired. The committee has not yet fixed a date for the hearing. The special committee will meet on Thursday in executive session to consider plans, and Secretary Nagel and Attorney-General Wickersham are expected to attend the meeting.


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Mrs. J. A. Whitely, Vancouver, is visiting friends in Portland, Ore.

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Mrs. James Rickett, Calgary, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Jones.

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Mrs. Wilson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Phillips, New Westminster.

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Mrs. F. W. Baylis, Foul Bay, will not receive to-day, nor again this season.

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The Misses Archibald are visiting their brother, J. R. Archibald, Kamloops.

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Mrs. Gideon Hicks and Mrs. Armson will not receive to-morrow nor again till fall.

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Miss Beatrice Raymond, Belleville street, is visiting her sister at Shawnigan Lake.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gannen left on Saturday, on an extended trip to the old country.

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Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Hammond are visiting the coast and are at present in this city.

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Mrs. Angus Polson, Cloverdale avenue, will not receive to-morrow nor again until October.

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Miss Florence Bromley, Winnipeg, is spending a week with Mrs. Fred. G. Honey, Superior street.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Shallcross leave to-day on a five months' trip to England and the Continent.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Carr-Hilton, Vancouver, are visiting Mrs. P. O. Dickinson, 221 Menzies street.

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Mrs. A. H. Pulford, Moosejaw, returned home last night from this city, where she has been spending the winter.

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Miss Myra K. Ellison, daughter of Hon. Price Ellison, has passed her final examination at McGill and received her B. A. degree.

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Stanley McB. Smith, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is progressing favorably and will soon be out of the hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Michener and two children, and Miss Buckley of Victoria, are spending a few days at the Shawnigan Lake hotel, Koenig's station.

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The students' dancing club, which passed such a successful and enjoyable season under the tuition of Mrs. Simpson, will hold its final dance on Friday, May 26, at the A. O. U. W. hall.

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Mr. John Sixsmith, master-at-arms of H. M. C. S. Rainbow, and Mrs. Mary Sobble were married last night by Rev. A. J. Brace at his residence. Mr. and Mrs. Sixsmith will reside at Esquimalt.

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Mrs. Simpson gave the last of her private invitation subscription dances for this season at the A. O. U. W. hall last night. The floor was in excellent condition. During the evening a buffet supper was served. Miss Thain's orchestra supplied the music.

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Among the Victoria guests registered at the Shawnigan Lake hotel are: J. W. Dowler, Hugh Davies, Miss Neuroutsos, H. A. Munn and family, F. W. Kostenbache, Miss H. Cowper, Miss O. Petherick, Miss L. M. Couillard, J. H. MacEachern and two children.

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Percy French, a graduate in the four years' full course in horticulture at the Ontario College of Agriculture in Guelph, has been appointed as assistant horticulturist to the British Columbia department of agriculture. Mr. French will enter upon his duties at the close of May.

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A pretty wedding was solemnized on Friday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. More, 949 Fisguard street, when Mr. J. Francis Dawson, Victoria, was united in marriage to Miss Catherine P. More. There was a large number of friends and relatives of the contracting couple present. Rev. T. E. Holling, B.A., officiated. The bride wore a cream serge dress with a white hat, trimmed with pink chiffon and white ostrich plumes, and she carried a large bouquet of lilies of the valley, the gift of Mrs. W. Clark. After the ceremony the company was escorted to the dining room, where tables were loaded with good things prepared for the occasion, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Bird and Mrs. Hamilton waiting on the tables. After dinner Mr. and Mrs. Dawson left by the Princess Adelaide for Seattle and Tacoma, where they will spend their honeymoon. On their return they will reside at 939 North Park street. Among the gifts were: Bride's cake, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lucas, Strathcona hotel; Victoria Machinery Depot Co., Ltd., and staff, silver service; Mrs. Murie, cut glass cream and sugar; the groom's mother and brother, eight-day clock, Mr. McDowell and family, eight-day clock, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ridgman, silver cake dish; Mr. and Mrs. Bird, silver cake dish; Mrs. R. Savage, silver fruit dish; Mrs. Hamilton, oak and silver butter dish; Mr. W. C. Kerr, silver butter dish; the groom's sister, oak and silver biscuit jar; Mr. and Mrs. McCaskill, china tea service; Mr. and Mrs. Laurison, fancy china plates; Isabella and Margorie Laurison, fancy china fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. Widdowson, silver tea spoons; Mrs. Logan, set of fruit dishes; Mrs. E. Bendrodt, silver berry spoon; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward, silver teaspoons; Mrs. E. McLachlan and daughters, cocoa jug and centrepiece; Mr. E. A. Savage, fancy hand-panted vase; Mr. and Mrs. Derrinberg, cut glass salt and pepper set; Mr. and Mrs. R. Bray, fancy hand-carved table; Mrs. Wasden, cut flowers; Mr. F. P. Savage, hand-painted picture; C. More, table linen; Malcolm M. More, hand-painted cushion top; W. G. More, glass fruit dish. The groom was the recipient of a handsome silver-mounted bean jar, the gift of the B. C. Telephone Company's employees.


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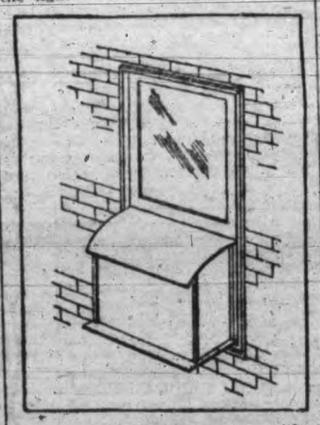
A man in the District of Columbia has designed a window refrigerator that will doubtless become popular with residents of apartments or small flats. It fits into the space occupied by the lower sash of a window, but can be lowered below the sill if it obstructs the light too much. The refrigerator



consists of a box-like device, with a glass back and a sloping roof to carry off the rain and snow. Inside are racks to hold different articles, and there are provisions for shading the glass if the sun is too strong. Along the sides are rows of perforations to admit the cold outer air and keep the butter, eggs, etc., fresh. The front of the box, or that portion facing the room, has a door, which can be opened by opening the window. For those who have no room for a regular refrigerator this little outdoor cupboard will prove a great convenience during the cool months.

### BLACK SATIN AND JET.

A black gown is always good and when combined with jet is more than smart and makes an ideal dinner gown. This is black satin—the slash on inside of skirt filled in with jet trimming and fringe. The bodice of black chiffon has an over-bodice of jet with shoulder straps of velvet ribbon. Sleeves are formed of deep tucks as is the corsage piece across bust.

## The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

"Other virtues are in request in the field and workyard, but a certain degree of taste is not to be spared in those we sit with. I could better eat with one who did not respect the truth or the laws than with a sloven or unpresentable person. Moral qualities rule the world, but at short distances the senses are despotic."—Emerson.

I was much interested to read the other day a newspaper statement that a suggestion had been made that a course in manners should be introduced into the Washington schools.

I wish the suggestion might become an accomplished fact, not only in Washington, but all over the country.

I cannot understand why, when all the other sciences have received such full attention in our school curriculum, the social science—the science of living with other human beings—should be so totally neglected.

For what really bitter unhappiness the ignorance of the right fork to use, of the proper way to treat a finger bowl, or some such little thing, may cause.

What cruel social stigma the wrong way of holding his fork or of a habit of grumbling his cracker in his soup may bring upon a man whose heart is really full of true courtesy.

We may rail at such conditions of judgment, but we surely must admit they exist.

We would never think of leaving the study of grammar out of our schools and yet the man or woman who makes a mistake in grammar will be far more easily forgiven than he who eats soup from the end of his spoon.

Emerson says something to the effect that it is much easier to forgive even a sin than an error in breeding, and so it seems to be.

Of course the obvious answer to this is that while a knowledge of manners is undoubtedly necessary to one's peace of mind, such a knowledge should be obtained in the home.

Of course it should; but how often is it?

Again and again there come to me in my mail queries on little points of breeding from young men and women, who evidently have not been taught such things in the home.

And almost always the letters are well worded and well written, showing that the inquirers have had an otherwise good education.

I do not think any city could give its children a course which they would look back upon with more gratitude all their lives than one in manners.

It might, of course, be difficult to get the children's interest, but I think this might be done by conducting the lessons in a very practical fashion. That is, the lesson on table manners might be illustrated by a table set for a course dinner, and the other lessons in similar fashion.

The instruction need not be so elaborate that few of the children would ever have a chance to put half of it into practice, but merely a comparatively few simple rules of breeding.

Those who already knew some of these things surely wouldn't be hurt, and those who didn't would undoubtedly be saved much embarrassment and actual unhappiness.

Perhaps this is all very foolish and visionary, but for the life of me I can't see why.

Ruth Cameron

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Colored embroidery will be much in evidence as trimming for summer frocks and a dainty model for a simple but effective dress where its use is an important feature is shown above. In this case the material is a white lawn with a double pin stripe of blue and the embroidered bands match the stripes. Note the pretty arrangement of neck, and ideal finish for warm days.

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## LICENSE BOARD AND LIQUOR TRAFFIC

More Money Needed If Bars Are to Receive Proper Supervision

Vancouver, May 22.—The question of who shall have full control and charge of the liquor traffic in the city of Vancouver was an important factor discussed at the special meeting of the licence commissioners. The final result was that a resolution was carried to the effect that the licence inspector should write to the civic authorities asking them to set aside a sufficient amount of money for the necessary expenditure and that this amount should be placed in the hands of the licence board.

The meeting was called to receive a delegation of the Bartenders' union, which had written to the board and made a proposal to appoint a committee which should examine those making applications for licence. Owing to the fact that there were only three commissioners present and it was the opinion of the board that this question was a too important one, it was decided to lay the matter over until the next meeting of the commissioners.

A rather heated argument took place when City Solicitor Hay was asked to appear before the board in connection with the legality of a certain bylaw. A case which recently had been dismissed in the police court in which a grill owner was charged with serving drinks to a guest after prohibited hours without serving a bona fide meal, was the cause of the clash. Commissioner Findlay stated that after the board had gone through the liquor bylaws they had been handed to City Solicitor Hay for revision and had been in the hands of the latter for sixty days. After returning them to the board Mr. Hay had said: "Those are laws." The city solicitor said that he had not been asked to go through the entire bylaws, but only through the new changes and amendments added by this new board. The argument lasted some considerable time and when Commissioner Findlay asked the city solicitor what his personal opinion was regarding the legality of this clause the latter rose and announced that if he is asked to express his public opinion on this clause he would do so. The city solicitor then explained the clause and said that the magistrate was right in his action under the provincial act concerning a bona fide meal.

Commissioner Patterson then referred to the presentment of the grand jury, in which it was stated that there were too many liquor selling restaurants in the heart of the city, and also a large number of so-called "blind pigs," and it was up to the licence commissioners to enforce more severely the liquor by-laws. Commissioner Patterson remarked that the present board always had tried to avoid issuing any licences in business districts.

Commissioner Findlay said: "We are all aware that the liquor traffic is one of the greatest evils. But do we, the licence commissioners, have sufficient money to employ a secret service to stop this evil. To enforce our laws we need a body of men, but we hardly can do anything to talk of with one licence inspector. We will assume the duty of enforcing our laws if the city council will give us sufficient funds and force. Whose duty do you consider this? Is it the duty of the police force or of the licence board and one inspector? Are we appointed by the people to go around the places which violate the laws? This is impossible for us to do, because we are too well known. In case it is not up to the police to enforce these laws give us sufficient money and we will do away with this evil."

Commissioner Pike stated that it was up to the finance committee to provide enough funds to enforce the liquor bylaws, and the board would be willing to act.

A petition from the various Scandinavian societies was then read in which the board was asked to prosecute every hotel proprietor who served a drink to an intoxicated man. Commissioner Pike remarked that he wanted the people to understand that there was not a house in the city that had any protection whatever. He then asked the inspector to investigate the place on Cordova street, and if he should run across such a case he should try to get evidence and conviction, no matter what the cost should be.

Commissioner Patterson remarked that there was no doubt that the statements in the petition were correct, but that the board had by no means funds enough to control the liquor traffic. Commissioner Findlay then made the statement that the revenue from liquor had amounted to $127,000, while the expenditures were not quite $2,000.

### GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

Tacoma, May 22.—A verdict of manslaughter was returned last evening by the superior court jury in the case of Roy Moorehead on trial for the killing of Mrs. James Buchanan, wife of a well known lumberman, on April 12, at the Buchanan country home.

Moorehead owned a neighboring place, and the two families had been quarrelling for a year or more. Three children were the only witnesses to the killing, and one of them, Mrs. Buchanan's son, aged five, refused to answer any questions except those asked by a deputy prosecuting attorney who had bought him ice cream and candy.

The two Moorehead children, aged seven and five, testified freely in "daddy's" behalf. If was largely due to them that Moorehead escaped the charge of murder in the first degree which the state had placed against him.

### MURDERS HER HUSBAND.

Leadville, Colo., May 23.—Made furious by threats to desert her and her small children and go back to Italy, Mrs. Frank Capral yesterday murdered her husband while he was asleep by twice striking him on the head with an axe. Capral's father was murdered five years ago in the same house in which yesterday's tragedy occurred.

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## CHEER VERDICT OF JURY AT ASSIZES

Demonstration Follows Acquittal of Mr. and Mrs. Miller at Westminster

New Westminster, May 22.—Amid a wild outburst of cheering and handclapping which the court officials were unable to still, the jury sitting on the Rex. vs. Millen case brought in a verdict of "not guilty."

Officials shouted "silence," "be quiet, please," "sit down," but all fell on deaf ears and a general rush was made from the public section of the spring assizes court room so that those who had listened to two days' evidence in a complexing case might give further vent to their feelings.

This case, which was one instituted by the crown against Francis and Margaret Millen, alleging that they had attempted to blackmail their brother-in-law, James B. Wilson, by demanding the sum of $50,000, had created a deal of excitement in the city where the parties were well known, especially Wilson, who, in the real estate line of business, had made a number of big deals.

After an absence of two hours the foreman stated that all the jury were of the one accord that the prisoners were not guilty of the charges preferred against them.

The jury was thanked by the court for their attendance and discharged.

That grand jurors and witnesses are insufficiently paid was the opinion of the grand jury, and they included a clause in their report which they presented to the court to that effect. They carefully examined the provincial goal, the city lock-up, the Royal Columbian Hospital and the insane asylum, and also made recommendations about the fire escapes on theatres and public buildings.


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# HEAPS RIDICULE ON GERM THEORY

## Eminent Writer Puts Microbes in Category of Fairies and Goblins

The disease-producing germ is regarded by the greatest scientists of to-day as a creation of the imagination, says Dr. J. W. Hodge, of Niagara Falls, N.Y. It is passing strange, however, that otherwise intelligent people will allow themselves to be deluded, frightened and gulled by such shallow sensationalists as the bacteriologists have proved themselves to be. Why not believe in ghosts, hobgoblins, fairies, were-wolfs, witches, demoniacal possession and all the other superstitions of senseless visionists. The assumption that germs cause diseases is no less preposterous and senseless than the prevalent belief of the 16th century that storms, cyclones, earthquakes, drouths, famines, floods and pestilences were brought about by the evil influence of old women called witches, who were officially tried, convicted and executed in civilized countries, as recently as 1793. In the remote ages of antiquity and superstitious ignorance the belief prevailed that diseases were due to demoniacal possession, and could be cured only by what was termed "exorcism" (casting out devils). The popular belief in those days was that a sick man's body was a kind of tenement house inhabited by evil spirits. In many respects this theory was analogous to the modern germ-theory of disease in which living germs play the role of live devils and must be killed and expelled from the bodies of the sick before a cure can be effected.

When the German charlatan, Robert Koch, announced his germ-theory he added a new and heavy burden to the many with which suffering humanity was already afflicted. A few decades ago the world was in blissful ignorance of microbes. Now the microbe is here, there and everywhere, in all that we eat and drink and wear, in the air we brathe, in the smoke and the dust, in the garbage, on the tools we use, and in the ground we tread, making of life an apprehensive possibility and a galling suspicion. By the announcement of the discovery of the disease-germ, a new source of anxiety was added to human existence, and this anxiety is all the more burdensome because the object of it is unseen and one cannot tell at what instant he may be exposing himself to its insidious attacks. The theory of the bacterial origin of disease has become a source of terror to the non-medical world. Thousands of timid and weak-minded people make themselves miserable by a constant dread lest they be surreptitously attacked by these omnipresent but invisible enemies; not daring to drink a glass of water or a cup of milk unless it has been boiled or sterilized in order to destroy the dread foe. These are the very people who fall easy victims to typhoid fever, cholera and other so-called germ-diseases. I am convinced that it is not the germ but the fear thereof that is responsible for the undoing of these timid and weak-minded people.

The discovery that every person's mouth harbors microbes in immense numbers has led certain doctors to denounce kissing as a dangerous pastime that should be put down by the strong hand of the law, though the law still enjoins the kissing of the Bible. As to the women whose lips are threatened to do so much harm in the world, the least we can do is to let them alone. They cannot do much more harm in the future than they have done in the past.

If germs are the cause of disease, isn't it a little long enough to die of old age before this wonderful discovery was made? History informs us that our ancestors of the premicrobian period, were strong, healthy people who attained on an average a good old age, notwithstanding their blissful ignorance of the presence of disease-germs and how to escape them.

Another crushing refutation of the germ-theory of disease is found in the fact that germs or "pathogenic" micro-organisms, which are supposed to be the essential cause of certain diseases, are found to prevail in populous localities from which these diseases are permanently absent. For instance, Prof. Metschnelkoff, a renowned authority, tells us that he has found the bacilli of Asiatic cholera widely diffused in the waters of many localities, while these same localities were practically free from cholera. Metschnelkoff also says: "The bacilli of typhoid fever have been found in inhabited localities in which typhoid fever has never been known to occur."

This statement is corroborated by the testimony of many eminent bacteriologists and is denied by none.

The Klebs-Loeffler bacilli, which are supposed to be the essential cause of diphtheria, have been repeatedly found in the mouths of healthy people who never suffered from anything like diphtheria. By actual experiment it has been demonstrated time and again that the so-called germs of diphtheria when swallowed in immense numbers by human beings and injected subcutaneously into their bodies have invariably failed to produce anything resembling diphtheria.

Again many cases of disease attributed to certain so-called "pathogenic" micro-organisms have been met with where the specific germ, on diligent search, could not be found. In these cases the adherents of the germ-theory boldly assert that "the bacteria were undoubtedly present although the bacteriologists were unable to find them." Thus have the germ-theorists been routed from one untenable position only to take up another.

Again, it is a well known fact that all mucous orifices of the body, even of healthy persons, swarm with pathogenic bactaeria of many descriptions, some of them being of the supposed most virulent character. But someone asks: "Do you deny the existence of germs?" I answer "No." The germ is a fact, a fact of great interest to the biologist, but of little importance to the pathologist. Germs are a physiological fact, but the attempt to consign them to the domain of pathology is a libel on these tiny harmless creatures which swarm in all vital air, in all sparkling drinking water, in all wholesome food, and in every tissue of our bodies. Again somebody asks: "Do we not find germs in diseased as well as in healthy tissues?" Again, I answer "Yes." They are there as scavengers, as friends to the patient and as foes to the disease. To charge them with having caused the disease would be unfair to them as it would be unjust to charge the street scavenger with having produced the filth which he is engaged in removing. The logic of the germ-theorists in attributing disease to the presence of bacteria reminds one of the reasoning of the Irishman, who, on discovering the decaying carcass of a dead animal, exclaimed: "Ah! look at the poor baste, and the maggots, sure they have kilt him entoirely." Medicine, like millinery, has its fashions and fads which spring up, flourish for a time and then pass into the limbo with other fallacies which in their day had also been mistaken for verities. The study of medical history brings to the physician's cheek a blush of shame. Thousands of confiding human beings have fallen victims to the vagaries and superstitions of medical malpractice which in its day was mistaken for medical science.


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## OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred at the St. Joseph's hospital this morning of Margaret Hall, aged 85 years. The deceased was a native of London, England, and has resided in Victoria for a number of years. Of late she has been staying at the St. Joseph's hospital. The funeral has been arranged to take place from the Victoria Undertaking parlors on Friday morning at 8.45 o'clock, and fifteen minutes later from the Roman Catholic church, where the Rev. Father Laterme will conduct services.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Grassie Raymur took place this morning at 10.30 o'clock from the family residence, 100 Kingston street, and later from the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Many friends attended, bringing with them tokens of respect for the deceased in the shape of beautiful floral wreaths. Impressive services were conducted by the Rev. W. Leslie Clay. The following acted as pallbearers: Major Dupont, G. A. Keefer, L. H. Solly, Dr. Hanington, G. O. Leask, H. S. Crothy, H. Flangton and W. Atkins. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery, where burial services were read by Rev. J. H. Sweet. Mrs. Raymur is survived by a son, James L. Raymur, city comptroller, and three grandchildren, Arnold J. Raymur, Kenneth Raymur and Miss Davida Raymur; also a sister, Miss Georgina Lawson of Ottawa and a niece, Miss Mary R. Lawson, who has made her home with the deceased since the demise of Mr. Raymur.

The funeral of John Harper took place this afternoon from the family residence, 402 Skinner street, Victoria West, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock and fifteen minutes later from St. Saviour's church, where the Rev. R. Connell conducted services. There were many friends present. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

### ALLEGED CRIMINAL LIBEL.

Seattle, Wash., May 23.—Col. Alden T. Blethen, editor of the Seattle Times, and Clarence Blethen, managing editor, were indicted by the county grand jury to-day on charges of criminal libel and conspiracy, the Times on charge of conspiracy, and Chauncey B. Rathbun, city editor of the Times, on a charge of criminal libel.

The indictments grew out of the municipal election and the so-called anti-vice crusade that began last year and resulted in the recall of Mayor Gill and the removal and indictment of Chief of Police Charles W. Wappenstein.

Prosecuting Attorney John F. Murphy refused to sign the presentments. The grand jury came into court and requested that Murphy sign. Judge John P. Main ruled that he must sign the bills and Murphy did so.

### CONCILIATION BOARD.

Winnipeg, May 23.—It is understood that the C.P.R. machinists have applied to the department of labor for a conciliation board. They have been negotiating some months fruitlessly with the company.

### GEOLOGIST DEAD.

Ottawa, May 23.—The death occurred here this morning of Dr. Robert Wheeler Ellis, chief geologist of the geological survey, who had been ailing for some time and recently suffered a stroke of paralysis. He was born at Cornwallis, N. S., in July, 1845. Deceased was the author of many reports on geology and was a member of the Royal Geological Society of Canada.

# SEA WALL WRANGLE HAS ANOTHER KICK

## CONTRACTORS RECEIVE ENGINEER'S ULTIMATUM

### Specifications Must Be Complied With or the Contract Will Be Withdrawn

The prospect of a legal battle to settle the differences of the parties to the Dallas road sea wall construction was brought within the purview of the city council last night in rather definite form. J. E. Griffiths, the provincial public works engineer, who, at the recent meeting of the council committee appointed to investigate the matter, assumed unto himself the right to settle all disputes that might arise between the Pacific Coast Construction company, the contractors, and A. E. Forman, the engineer, wrote a letter to the council emphasizing his claims to the position of the sole arbiter in the matter and demonstrating his intention to see that the contract is carried out or know the reason why. The letter is in the following terms:

"With reference to the above the contribution of the government toward the necessary expenditure will only be paid upon the receipt of a certificate from the engineer in charge that the whole work has been carried out in strict accordance with the plans and specifications as undertaken by the contractors in their tender. It has been reported to me that the work is not being carried out in accordance with the plans and specifications and that the contractors neglect or refuse to obey the instructions of the engineer in charge, clause 14 and 25 of specifications. The grounds of complaint, to follow specification, appear to be as follows:

"Cement—No complaint has been made as to the quality of the cement but it has on occasion been delivered direct to the mixer, thus preventing any test, for which the government has provided a testing machine.

"Gravel—The gravel is of inferior quality with large stones many of which, contrary to specifications, have been embedded in the concrete.

"Concrete—No attempt has apparently been made to comply with the specification as to the handling of this material which has been deposited in a manner strictly forbidden in the specification.

"Steel—The steel has neither been correctly placed nor properly wired.

"Old wall—The old wall where it interfered with the new has not been removed, and in consequence the new work cannot be properly constructed. The method adopted by the contractors in the erection of the former wall being contrary to established usage. The proper construction of the wall has thus been prevented, this being solely due to the action of the contractors.

"On behalf of the government I would request that you give instructions, under clause 10 of the specification, to open up such parts of the work as may be indicated by the engineer in charge, and thus ascertain whether the works have been, as I understand is claimed by the contractor, constructed in strict accordance with the plans and specifications, or otherwise, and until this point is decided forbid the further prosecution of the work.

"The government do not consider that it is within their province to interfere in any way, or to discuss any arrangements entered into between the city and the contractors, being solely interested in the construction of the wall in accordance with the plans and specifications. The contractors will not obey the instructions of the engineer or inspector to the detriment of the work. If this continues any longer there is no alternative but to take the work out of their hands. As the contract is between the city and the Pacific Coast Construction Company it is advisable that this matter in the form of an ultimatum should be taken up by the city."

On receipt of the above letter the city engineer forwarded the necessary instructions to the Pacific Coast Construction Company. He reported this action to the council.

Alderman Ross was inclined to let the government out over the matter, but it was pointed out by the mayor that the government was no more anxious than the city to have the wall built in the best and cheapest manner.

The report of the engineer was adopted.

It is now probable that the courts will have to decide the issues that are in dispute between the parties, or that shall be found to be in dispute after the examination.

### CAPITAL GUN CLUB SHOOT.

The shoot of the Capital Gun Club, to be held at The Willows traps, will start at 9.30 to-morrow morning. In addition to the ordinary events, a competition specially for professionals will be held, in which there are a large number of entries. The prize will be a handsome travelling case presented by Challoner & Mitchell. This will go to the shooter having the highest average for the day.

### LAWN TENNIS CLUB.

The grass courts of the Victoria lawn tennis club, Cadboro Bay road will be opened for the first time this season to-morrow. The courts have been placed in first class condition and no doubt a large number of players will be on hand.

### DRAGGED TO DEATH.

Portland, Ore., May 23.—Frank Lee, aged 14, son of a widow at Eugene, Ore., was thrown by a frightened horse in that city last night. The lad's foot caught in the stirrup and he was dragged to death. When disentangled it was found his neck had been broken.

# ALBERTA GETS SNOW, SASKATCHEWAN RAIN

### Fall Wheat is in Fine Condition and Prospects Are Bright for Big Crop

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, May 23.—There has been a heavy fall of snow between Calgary and Medicine Hat and south towards the boundary, thus adding further to the generous precipitation which has visited what used to be termed the "Dry Belt." The snow fall will be of immense value to fall wheat, which is in fine condition. Rain fell over other parts of the province and most of Saskatchewan. In Manitoba temperatures are in the seventies, but there is lots of moisture in the ground for weeks to come. One must go back seven or eight years to find so general and well founded optimism regarding the crop.

## FRENCH COLUMN ARRIVES AT FEZ

Tangier, Morocco, May 23.—The French column under command of General Moiniere entered Fez on the evening of May 21.

The French force met with no opposition on the part of the rebellious tribesmen besieging the Sultan's southern capital. All foreigners in the city are safe.

# AERIAL RACE FROM PARIS TO MADRID

### Number of Aviators Have Completed Second Stage of Flight

Angouleme, France, May 23.—Before an animated crowd the Angouleme-San Sebastian stage of the Paris-to-Madrid aero race for the Petit Parisian prize of $20,000 was inaugurated here this morning. The first stage of flight from Issy Les Moulineaux, just outside Paris, to Angouleme was begun Sunday in the presence of crowds of spectators. On account of the accident at the opening of the race, however, which resulted in the death of Minister of War Berteaux and the injury to Premier Monis, all of the contestants were not able to get away. Some of the aviators, including M. Train, whose machine was the cause of the tragedy, retired permanently from the competition. The men remaining in the contest began their flight in the first stage yesterday and three of them, Vedrine, Gibert and Garros, succeeded in covering the first stage from Paris to this place, a distance of 279 miles, up to yesterday.

Frey got as far as Etampes, where his machine was damaged in a squall.

Garros left Angouleme at 5:15 this morning and disappeared southward in his flight to San Sebastian. He was followed six minutes later by Gibert and at 7:10 by Vedrine. At about 8:45 o'clock a crowd of summer tourists jammed together on a pier leading to the famous "Virgin Rock" at Biarritz cheered as Garros appeared through the haze and sped across the Bay of Biscay in the direction of San Sebastian. He arrived at the Spanish city at 11:40 a. m. Gibert landed at the aerodrome of Biarritz at 8 o'clock for the purpose of taking on a supply of oil. He declared that he lost his way in the fog and that he had been flying over the sea for two hours. Vedrine passed over Biarritz at 10:20 a. m.

At San Sebastian.

San Sebastian, Spain, May 23.—Vedrine arrived here at 10:59 o'clock this morning from Angouleme having successfully covered the second stage of the Paris-to-Madrid aviation flight.

Vedrine said he made no stop between Angouleme and San Sebastian passing over the sea. He encountered dangerous air eddies and he almost met with a catastrophe near the Spanish town of Fuenterrabia, where one of the wings of his machine grazed the peak of a huge rock. Although the plane was slightly damaged, Vedrine continued his flight.

Garros, who started from Angouleme at 5:13 o'clock this morning, successfully crossed the Bay of Biscay and arrived at 11:40 o'clock. He was forced to make a stop of two hours near Fuenterrabia for fuel.

Loses Way in Fog.

Biarritz, France, May 23.—M. Gibert after leaving Angouleme this morning for San Sebastian lost his way in a fog and after flying over the water for two hours, was forced to land here to take on fuel. His departure has been delayed by a defective magneto.

### OLGA NETHERSOLE.

Memorable Appearance of English Emotional Actress in Contrasting Roles.

Last night, in the Victoria theatre, before an audience of varying capabilities of understanding, that eminent emotional actress of undoubted English standing, Miss Olga Nethersole, appeared in a double bill—Paul Hernieu's "The Enigma" and Maeterlinck's "Sister Beatrice." In both plays, although they have been on the stage after a short rehearsal for about a month, Miss Nethersole gave a thoroughly satisfying interpretation. Her company was weak in the first play, but in "Sister Beatrice" their inexperience spoiled the ensemble which Miss Nethersole alone was able to carry through. The production of both plays is worthy of more extended notice, which the Times critic will feel privileged in contributing in next issue.

# IMPERIAL CONFERENCE WILL BE PRIVATE

### Official Report of Proceedings to Be Handed Out Each Day

(Special to the Times.)

London, May 23.—The business sessions of the Imperial conference opened to-day at the Foreign Office. Premier Asquith was the first to arrive, being followed closely by General Botha and then Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was accompanied by Sir Frederick Borden. Other delegates to the conference followed after calling at the Colonial Office on the way. Premier Asquith then officially welcomed the gathering.

After a session of two hours and a half it was announced that the conference will sit privately and that an official report will be handed out each day.

Commenting on the gathering the Globe says to-day: "Imperial federation ought to be agreed upon and then the completed scheme submitted to the over-seas dominions with a view to final adoption and ratification at the next Imperial conference."

The Manchester Guardian says: "The Liberal government's attitude on reciprocity shows the closest sympathy with the fullest claims of colonial nationalism."

# OAK BAY RATES FOR COMING YEAR

### Substantial Increase Shown in Assessment Rolls of Adjoining Municipality

The Oak Bay council in session last night struck the tax rates for the ensuing year. They are considerably more than those of the city. The following shows the details of the assessment:

| | Gross Mills | Net Mills |
|---|---|---|
| General rate | 9.00 | 7.50 |
| Debt rate | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| School rate | 1.25 | 1.25 |
| Water rate | 1.75 | 1.75 |
| | 13.00 | 11.50 |

The assessor's report also shows a substantial increase in real estate values in Oak Bay. The suburb is certainly in flourishing condition, the increase amounting to about 20 per cent. over last year's valuation. The complete report is appended:

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|---|---|
| Total assessment value of municipality | $3,246,263 |
| Less assessment value of improvements | 661,120 |
| Total assess. value of land | $2,585,143 |
| Less assessment value of land exempt from taxation | 99,690 |
| Net assessed value for tax | $2,285,453 |

A lively discussion took place at the Oak Bay council when Reeve Henderson announced his intention of adopting drastic measures to make the Oak Bay Boat Company pay up its long-standing rent bill. The secretary of the club sent a communication enclosing the last $25 in the treasury as part payment on the debt, which amounts in all to $200. On the motion of Councillor Noble the money was accepted.

The Capital Gun Club was granted permission to hold an annual shoot on the Twenty-fourth, and will have the same privileges as in former years with the exception that there will be no more Sunday practice.

Building permits have been issued to the following: Carl Adams, Chaucer street, 1½ story dwelling, $3500; Island Investment Co., 1½ story dwelling, Victoria avenue, $3000; W. L. Ford one story dwelling, Hampshire road, north, $2400; P. Johnson, 1½ story dwelling, Newport avenue, $3400; Miss M. Cullen, dwelling on Byron street, $2500.

### HAMAR GREENWOOD MARRIED.

London, May 23.—The maple leaf was much in evidence at St. Margaret's, Westminster, to-day, when Hamar Greenwood, M.P., was married to Margery, daughter of Walter Spencer, of Fownhope Court, Herefordshire. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and other minister of overseas Dominions and members of the House of Commons attended.

At least one hundred and forty-four million pounds' worth of British property is always on the sea.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. William Archibald will receive on Friday.

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Mrs. Edwin Dailey, 602 Garbally road, will not receive on Friday of this week nor again till further notice.

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Dr. J. J. Mustard, of Washington, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mustar., Carroll street.

## BORN

CUPPAGE—On the 22nd inst., at St. Joseph's hospital, Victoria, B. C., the wife of Granville Vernon Cuppage, of Mount Edwards, County Antrim, Ireland, a son.

GARLAND—On the 22nd inst., at 2750 Oakland avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Garland, a son.

BLAKEWAY—On Sunday, the 21st inst., the wife of R. E. Blakeway, Medina street, of a daughter.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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CLOSE IN, on Johnson street, a modern six room house, $2,800, on a choice lot 40x132; terms, $800 cash, balance as rent. A big snap for someone. Particulars, J. Greenwood, 575 Yates street. m23

CHOICE LOT, on Taunton street, water and sewer on the street, lot is fenced, a snap for $550; terms, $150 cash, balance easy. Greenwood, 575 Yates street. m23

GORGE ROAD, overlooking the water, the finest home site on this scenic road, containing over half acre; price $2,800, terms. Greenwood, 575 Yates street. m23

WANTED—Immediately, first-class solicitor for publishing company. Apply 1208 Government street, between 5 and 6. m26

WANTED—A refined Englishwoman (young or middle-aged) to take charge of two little girls every afternoon from 2 till 7 o'clock. Address Box 467, Times. m26

HERE IS A BARGAIN—House, nearly new, on lot 60x135, close to Cook street car and Beacon Hill park, lot alone worth $1,200, house cost $1,000 to build, price only $1,750; about $300 cash and $15 per month. Box 469, Times. m23

FURNISHED BEDROOMS and one large front room, suitable for 3 or 4 friends, 732 Pandora street. m26

BOY WANTED. Apply Rowes' Drug Store, Government street. m26

WANTED—4 roomed furnished house, owners only. Box 472, Times Office. m23

WANTED—Gorge or Burleith water front lots, owners only. Box 473, Times Office. m23

WANTED—Boy, about 16 years, for store, and a man for warehouse. Capital Furniture Co., 1221 Douglas street. m26

WANTED—Salesman of ability; can give good contract, with salary and commission to right man. Apply Fidelity Trust & Savings Co., Ltd., 604 Broughton St. m26

STOLEN OR STRAYED—Airedale bitch, black and tan, small nose, rough coat, coming off round collar, Toronto tag, 3 years old; dog, black and tan, rather light tan, close coat, light tan collar, 18 months old. Detainers will be prosecuted. Return same or write J. Wilman, 484 Cecelia street. m26

FOR GOOD BOARD AND ROOM, at reasonable rates, apply 1341 Gladstone Ave. m26

WANTED—Two girls for general house work and mother's help. Mrs. D. H. Bale, corner Fort and Stadacona. m23 tf

WANTED—By respectable man (just out), position as timekeeper, storekeeper, caretaker, or any place of trust. Box 466, Times. m26

FOR SALE—Large combination Taylor safe, cheap. Stadthagen, Indian curio store, 79 Johnson street. m26

50 SHARES SOOKE OIL CO., with 3 to 1 option, at $3.50 per share, for few days only. Davie street, 4 roomed bungalow, on lot 64x120, price $2,500; ½ cash. Union Real Estate Co., 820 Fort street. Phone L2757. m23

FOR SALE—New four room house on Shelbourne street, never been lived in, concrete foundation, electric light, bath and W. C., large lot, $1,900; terms, $300 cash, balance monthly. This house is beautifully finished and is a snap at the price. Apply Box No. 2746, Times. m26

FOR SALE—A machine for making gas balloons, cheap. W. Wilby, 1319 Douglas street. m26

FOR SALE—Three show cases, two counters, five tables, 1 Taylor safe. W. Wilby, 1319 Douglas street. m26

COTTAGE TO RENT—Douglas road. Apply 2721 Fifth street. m30

LOT, Cook street, near Oxford, 50x120 ft., $1,600, terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. m23

FURNISHED ROOM WANTED—Mother and child, central. Apply Box 456, Times. m26

FOR SALE—Boat, 14 feet, sail, oars, anchor. Fryatt, Foul Bay. m30

STORE TO RENT, between Government and Store Sts., on Johnson, long lease. Apply 532 Johnson street. m27

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MOSS STREET—Lot 50x120 ft., price $1,250, terms good. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. m23

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CAMBRIDGE STREET—Lot 50x120 feet, cheap, $1,400; 1-3 cash. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. m23

SOMETHING WORTH BUYING—Davie street, 2 lots, 100x135, $2,000; choice corner, Craigflower and Vernon, 125x120, only $2,850; nice lot on Verne, $1,250; Fort street, near Castle, $3,000; splendid corner, Pandora and Gladstone, 147x230, $3,500; splendid corner on Douglas at $375 foot. R. W. Clark, 1112 Government. Phone 1092. m26

GOING, GOING—My stock is selling fast; don't wait if you want the snaps. Toys, stationery, fancy goods, everything going at about half price. W. Wilby, 1319 Douglas. m26

FOR SALE—Saanich Municipality. I will sell by public auction at Glanford avenue, on Friday next, May 26th, 12 o'clock noon, one bay horse, branded JJ; on near hind-quarter, if not redeemed before. H. Little, poundkeeper. m27

WANTED—To rent, a bedroom; and wanted, someone to take care of little girl (4 years old) during daytime. Apply Box 455, Times. m26

TO LET—Large front room, suitable for gentleman. 635 Superior street. m26

ONE AND TWO-ACRE LOTS, 5 and 6 miles out, near V. & S. Railway and new car route. A. W. Bridgman, 1007 Government street. m26

TO CONTRACTORS—We have a 2 story house in good condition for sale and removal. For full particulars apply Gillespie & Hart, 1215 Langley street. m23

ENGLISH AUTOMOBILE ENGINEER requires position as driver, six years' experience, own repairs, any make of car. Apply Box 451, Times. jy15

A GOOD BUSINESS CHANCE for man with about $1,000 capital. 2627 Blanchard avenue. m26

FOR SALE—New 14 ft. rowboat, cheap. Apply Lowe, 2 Bushby street. m26

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WANTED—Young man with few hundred and services to invest with me in good paying business, must be willing to work. Box 447, Times. m26

SMALL FURNISHED HOUSE to let for summer, in Oak Bay, $35 a month. Pullen, Oak Bay Realty Office, 2056 Oak Bay avenue. Phone F1635. m23

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply Mrs. Owen Copas, 130 Menzies street. m31

FOR SALE—Lot on Shelbourne street, 40x170, close to Bay street, $600; cash $210, balance $10 per month; must be sold at once. Box No. 2747, Times. m26

## ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS

Members of Court Northern Light, No. 5935, are requested to take notice that the Court will hold its next meeting on the 31st inst.

W. F. FULLERTON, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

NELSON, B. C., RIFLE RANGE.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, marked on envelope "Tender for Construction of Nelson, B. C. Rifle Range" and addressed to the Director of Contracts, Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, will be received until noon, the 15th June, for the construction of a Rifle Range at Nelson, B. C.

Plans and specifications may be seen and full information obtained at the office of the District Officer Commanding Military District No. 11, Victoria, B. C., the Director of Engineer Services, Headquarters, Ottawa, and the Officer Commanding 102nd Regt., Nelson, B. C.

Tenders must be made on the form supplied by the Department and accompanied by an accepted cheque on a Canadian chartered bank, for 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence, which amount will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into a contract or fail to complete it in accordance with the tender.

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H. S. GRIFFITH, 14 Promis Block, 1006 Government street. Phone 1489.

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### LAND SURVEYORS

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GORE & McGREGOR, British Columbia Land Surveyors and Civil Engineers. J. Herrick McGregor, manager. Chancery Chambers, 52 Langley street. P. O. Box 152. Phone L504. Fort George Office, Second avenue. J. F. Templeton, manager.

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VICTORIA, No. 17, K. of P., meets at K. of P. Hall, every Thursday. E. C. Kaufman, K. of R. & S. Box 164.

A. O. F., COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 5935, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad street, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. P. Fullerton, Secy.

### NOTICE

Estate of John Augustus Wood, late of St. Charles Street, Victoria, B. C.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased who died on the 30th January, 1911, are required to send particulars thereof duly verified to the undersigned on or before the 30th May, 1911, after which date the executors will distribute the estate having regard only to those claims of which they then have notice.

Dated the 28th day of April, 1911.

CREASE & CREASE,
Solicitors for the Executors.
Victoria, B. C.

### VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF SAANICH (South).

Take notice, that I, Rosalie Maud Scharschmidt, of Victoria, married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Being an island situated about ½ mile northeasterly from the floating buoy placed at the entrance to Tod Inlet, Saanich Arm, said island containing two acres more or less.

Dated March 8th, 1911.

ROSALIE MAUD SCHARSCHMIDT.
Per C. F. Butler, Agent.

## NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Board of Licencing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, B. C., at the next sittings thereof for a transfer of the Retail Liquor Licence in respect of the premises known as "The Carlton Bar," situate at the corner of Douglas and View Streets, Victoria, B. C., from the undersigned to Seth. L. Chamberlin.

Dated this 19th day of May, 1911.

H. W. EICKHOFF, Applicant.

## Coal Required

Tenders for the supply of Coal to the schools of the city, as required from time to time for a period of one year from June 5th next, will be received up to the 31st May by Secretary Board of School Trustees, Victoria, B. C.

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JENSEN'S TRANSFERS—Phone 1982. 946 Michigan street. Furniture and piano movers, expressers and trucks.

JEEVES BROS., furniture and piano movers. Phone L1574.

VICTORIA TRUCK AND DRAY CO.—Telephone 17. Stable Phone 1792.

### VACUUM CLEANERS.

ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANERS—Santo and Duntley machines to rent by the day, $4; cleanses carpets, etc., without removing. J. Russell, 650 Linden avenue. Phone R1473. m25

### WATCH REPAIRING

A. PETCH, 1416 Douglas street. Specialty of English watch repairing. All kinds of clocks and watches repaired.

### Y. W. C. A.

FOR THE BENEFIT of young women in or out of employment. Rooms and board. A home from home. 756 Courtenay street.

In the matter of the "Navigable Waters Protection Act" (being Chapter 115 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906).

TAKE NOTICE that William John Cave of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, in pursuance of Section 7 of the above Act has deposited the plans of a wharf and a description of the proposed site thereof, to be constructed upon Lots 1a or 0 1, 2 and 3 Lime Bay, Victoria West, Esquimalt District, in the Province of British Columbia, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar General of Titles at Victoria, B. C., being registry of deeds for the District in which each work is to be constructed.

And take notice that at the expiration of one month from date hereof application will be made to the Governor-in-Council for the approval thereof.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for William J. Cave.

Dated the 19th day of April, A. D., 1911.

### NOTICE.

Pursuant to the by-laws of the said Company, notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, Limited, will be held at their office, 918 Government street, in the City of Victoria, on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1911, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting any other business that may be brought before the said meeting.

GEO. R. ELLIOTT,
Assistant Secretary.

March 1st, 1911.

### "LAND REGISTRY ACT."

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION for a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 13, Block 2, of Block "A," Woodland Park, Victoria District, Map 882.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a duplicate Certificate of Title to said land issued to Phoebe Gilbert on the 18th of March, 1908, and numbered 17448 C.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of March, 1911.

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General.

## BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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### BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—$650 cash, or to let, store, dwelling and lot on Clayoquot townsite, one minute's walk from government wharf; good opening for small general stock, also restaurant business. Apply Box 1, Tofino, B. C.

### FOR RENT—HOUSES

TO LET—Ontario street, James Bay, 6 roomed, modern bungalow, brick basement, cement floor, all modern appliances. Apply 1228 Fort street. m23

TO RENT—7 roomed house on Galiano Island. For further particulars apply Max Enke, Galiano. j8

### FOR SALE—ARTICLES

FOR SALE—Seagoing launch, built in 1908, 16 h. p., 9 ft. 6 in. beam, 37 ft. long, speed 8 miles, trunk cabin, sleeping accommodations for six, all modern conveniences. Apply Schwabacher Bros. & Co., Inc., Seattle, Wash. m26

FOR SALE—21-foot launch, equal to new, with 3 to 5 horse power Union engine, equipped with magneto, pantosite cushions (cannot be soiled by salt water), deck is of oak and rosewood, all cans, box of tools; price $600 cash, or $700 on terms to responsible party; or will exchange for a lot; engine alone cost $375. Apply to P. O. Box 822, or Room 403, Times Building.

FOR SALE—Player piano, quite new, 65 notes, price $550. Apply 1624 Government street. m10 tf

FOR SALE—Rubber tired Mikado phaeton, in good order. Apply 1125 Catherine street, Victoria West. m27

FOR SALE—Riveted overalls, 60c.; blue serge pants, 90c.; Navy boots, $2.75; blue serge double breasted suits, $12.50; police braces, 25c.; Penman's underwear, 50c. a garment; prism binocular glasses, $25. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FOR SALE—Agreement of sale for $4,500, payable in 2, 3 and 4 years, at 7 per cent., on improved property. Apply H. V. B., Times. m23

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Launch hull, 36x8, new, would exchange for real estate. For particulars apply Post Office Box 991. m29

WHY BE TORMENTED by the flies when you can get screen doors and windows made to order by Jones, Capital Carpentering and Jobbing Factory, 1003 Yates street. Phone L1828. j12

FOR SALE—Good black soil, $2 per load within ½ mile radius of City Hall. Apply J. Haggerty & Co., 638 Discovery street. m27

FOR SALE—One tyre bender, one metal tyreing plate, one tyre upsetter. Mellor, Herald street. m23

KEEP POSTED on the California oil fields. "The Driller," the most reliable and authentic publication of its kind, gives you all the "oil" news. Graphic illustrations. Articles by noted oil writers. Latest field notes. Send your address and get a six months' free subscription. A postal will bring "The Driller" to you. Address "The Driller," 108 W. Second St., Los Angeles, Calif. m27

FOR SALE—Motor boat and boat house, $400, if bought inside of four days. Box 421, Times. m23

PHONE L506 for all kinds of mill wood. Robertson & Dibb, general teaming and contracting. j20

SELLING OUT—Buggies and farm implements, at lowest cash prices. 233 Johnson street. B. C. Hardware Co., Limited. m10 tf

CABBAGE, cauliflower, Brussels sprout and broccoli plants for sale by the 100 or 1,000. Apply F. Street, Rockside, Lake Hill, Victoria. m25

FOR SALE—Coffee roaster, mill and motor, platform scales, electric fan, etc.; also small roaster, suitable for peanuts. Apply 1209 Douglas street. m25

FOR SALE—Several hundred calceolaria plants, 75c. per dozen. J. Bettles, Oak Bay P. O., Victoria. m23

FOR SALE—16 ft. launch. Apply W. Andrews, 1290 Gladstone avenue. m23

GET A SANITARY PORTABLE BATH APPARATUS—Can be used in any room without inconvenience; running water only touches the body; the effects of the bath most invigorating. Price only $7.50. Try one, you won't regret it; all goods guaranteed. Millar will tell you all about it. 574 Hillside Ave. j11 tf

### FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—6 roomed cottage and one lot on Shakespeare street, near North Pembroke, $2,200. Apply 1809 Fernwood road. m25

REGINA AVE.—2 room cottage, $575; $150 cash. Investors' Securities Co., 1316 Douglas. m23

ESQUIMALT ROAD—10 room house, barn and stable, on double lot, facing 2 streets, $3,000; small cash payment, balance easy. Investors' Securities Co., 1316 Douglas. m23

A WELL PLANNED HOME, $300 below the market price, on a 60 ft. lot, cement sidewalks, handy to two cars. If you are interested address owner, Box 419, Times. No agents. m27

WHEN YOU WANT a nice new house on easy payments call and see us. Dunford & Son, contractors and builders, 233 Pemberton Block. m23

HOUSES, lots, fruit and chicken farms, acreage, fine farms on Salt Spring Island, good islands off North Saanich. Take V. & S. R. R. McKillican, Sidney. m27

EDMONTON ROAD—6 room, fully modern house, every convenience, only $2,650; $300 cash, balance easy. Investors' Securities Co., 1316 Douglas. m23

$350 CASH, balance to suit you, buys a comfortable 7 room house, the price is only $2,800. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. m23

FOR SALE—Cheap, James Bay, modern seven roomed house, lot 60x120, owner leaving city. Apply 36 Simcoe. j9

WANTED—Owners to list houses for sale or rent with us. Shaw Real Estate, 302 Pemberton Block. Phone 1094. m19 tf

### LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, vicinity of Beacon Hill Park and Oak Bay. Return to Times Office. Reward. m25

LOST—Gold crescent brooch, set in pearls, between North Park street and Pandora street, via Quadra. Reward at Box 429, Times. m25

LOST—Gold watch and fob with M. M. O., this morning, between Spencer's and Blanchard, on View. Reward. Leave at Times Office. m25

### FOR SALE—POULTRY AND EGGS

WEST'S BROWN LEGHORNS and White Plymouth Rocks are prize winners and layers. Eggs, $1.50 per setting. J. West, Third street, off Richmond road, Sub. P. O. No. 1.

EGGS FOR HATCHING, from imported English strain of White Leghorns, trapnested for heavy laying; also Black Minorcas and Barred Plymouth Rocks, $1 per setting, $6 per 100. Apply Scott & Peden. m14

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

YOUNG ENGLISH LADY requires teaching post, school or family. Apply Box 416, Times Office. m23

WANTED—Position by experienced lady stenographer. Address 870 Cordova street, Vancouver, B. C. m25

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### FOR SALE—ACREAGE

FOR SALE—160 acres, Galiano Island, 60 slashed, 10 cleared, good water, $2,400. For particulars, Max Enke, Galiano. j8

FOR SALE—7 acres of the finest strawberry land at Gordon Head; also 3 acres, with house, strawberries, etc.; this is a snap. Apply T. M. Jones, 1248 Fort St. Phone 1479. m9 tf

SAANICH—Acreage on car line and main road, all cultivated, close to school, church, etc., good water, $350 per acre, terms. McKillican, Sidney. m27

SAANICH—Water front acreage on Union Bay, Saanich Arm, Shoal Bay, Pleasant Point, on easy terms. McKillican, Sidney. m27

LIST YOUR PROPERTY with G. S. Leigaton, 725 Fort street. Phone 2533. j8 tf

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—General servant for family of three. Apply before one o'clock, to Oliphant, corner Vancouver and Park Boulevard. m26

WANTED — Experienced stenographer. Apply P. O. Box 724, giving experience and references. m23

WANTED—Middle-aged woman for general house work, no washing. Call morning, 2080 Oak Bay avenue. m25

WANTED—At Victoria Steam Laundry, two girls for mangle room. m23

DRESSMAKERS WANTED at once, also improvers and apprentices. Apply to Miss McMillan, Spencer's store. m5 tf

WANTED—General servant. Apply to Mrs. D. McKenzie, corner Dominion road and Florence street. Phone M2413. a28 tf

WANTED—Good general servant. 1402 Stadacona avenue. a27 tf

### HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Carpenters. Apply Parfitt Bros., 2393 Fernwood road. m25

BOY WANTED. Fawcett's Drug Store, Douglas street and King's road. m25

STRIPPER WANTED. Apply V. I. Cigar Factory. m25

WANTED—District manager for first-class Health and Accident Insurance Co., splendid inducements, special salary and liberal commission. Apply to J. L. McComb, Health and Accident Dept., Empire Life Insurance Co., 511 Winch Building, Vancouver, B. C. m29

WANTED—Boy, out of school. Apply 564 Yates street. m24

WANTED—A strong boy for carriage and blacksmithing. Apply Chafe & Jones, cor. Fort and Blanchard. m19 tf

WANTED—Apprentices to learn the steel shipbuilding trade. Apply to B. C. Marine Railways Co., Ltd., Esquimalt. m18 tf

### MISCELLANEOUS.

TO RENT—Office, corner Broad and Johnson, $12 month. Phone R2296. P. Mauser. m25

WANTED—Money to loan on first mortgages on city property. Apply Box A2706, Times. m23

I. JOHNSTON, stationery and billiard supplies, has removed to 1209 Langley street. m23

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—Please take notice my property situated in Victoria and Shoal Bay for the time being is not for sale. E. S. Gunn, Berkeley, Cal. m23

CONTRACTORS, farmers, merchants and others, if you need help of any kind we can suit you. Upwards of 200 applicants on our books now. Phone 2704, or write Box 897, Post Office, city. Vancouver Island Labor Exchange. j19

TO RENT—Brick store on Douglas street, $20 a month. Box 376, Times. m25

ON AND AFTER JUNE 5th, shops will close at 10 p. m. Saturday nights. Barbers' Union, No. 372. j9

TIMBER AT COMOX—Nine million feet of good timber, ½ mile from E. & N. right of way, easy to log, price $4,500. Apply P. L. Anderton, Courtenay, B. C. j4

M. LEON J. EEKMAN, of Brussels, Belgium. French and German; individual lessons and classes. Temporary address, 1268 Walnut street. Phone 1206.

SHACKS or small cottages of any design erected at small cost. Philip Turner, Maywood P. O. m24

DOROTHY TEA ROOM, 1006 Broad, Pemberton Block. Breakfasts, light lunches, afternoon teas. m26

MISS WILSON, dressmaker, 2035 Oak Bay avenue. Phone 977. a14

CAPITAL CARPENTER AND JOBBING FACTORY—Alfred Jones, builder and contractor. Estimates given on houses, buildings, fence work, alterations, etc. 1003 Yates street. Office Phone L1828; Res., R1003.

### ROOMS AND BOARD

TO LET—Furnished rooms for gentlemen, board, bath, hot and cold water. 957 Mears street. j22

FOR GOOD BOARD AND ROOM at reasonable rates, apply 1341 Gladstone Ave. m29

TO LET—Large furnished front room. Apply 880 Johnson. j5

TO RENT—Two superior furnished rooms in private house, suitable for gents; no children. 957 North Park street. m25

COMFORTABLE BEDROOM, James Bay, three minutes from car and beach, breakfast if desired, terms moderate. Box 404, Times. m23

WE WILL PAY CASH for a lot in the vicinity of Cook street, south of Fort and north of Hilda. Paterson & Wise, 109 Pemberton Block. m27

TO LET—Two furnished front rooms for light housekeeping. Apply Mrs. Losie, 2060 Chaucer street, Oak Bay. j5

MOUNT EDWARDS, Vancouver street, modern apartment house, domestic help on premises, best residential neighborhood, no children. j14

PLEASANT PRIVATE ROOMS, furnished, good board, terms reasonable, 15 minutes from City Hall. Phone R2790. 2543 Quadra. j1

ROOM AND BOARD—Beautifully situated, near Gorge, terms moderate. Apply Griffett, 1237 Sunnyside Ave. Phone R1136. m24

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET, 2009 Cook street. Phone L2675. m26

TO RENT—Comfortably furnished rooms, with or without board, for respectable young men. 1043 Sutlej, off Vancouver. m25

WANTED—Two men to share room and board. 1043 Sutlej, off Vancouver. m25

ROOMS TO LET, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 34 San Juan. Phone R612.

HANDSOME FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with use of kitchen, quiet, pleasant house, with large garden, right on car line. Mrs. Walker, city limits, Esquimalt road. Phone M1627.

NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK—Best location, no bar, strictly first-class, special winter rates, two entrances, Corner Douglas and Yates. Phone 317.

### REMOVAL NOTICE

J. W. BOLDEN, carpenter and jobber, moved to 1616 Cook street. Phone 1398.

THOMAS CATTERALL, builder and general contractor, has removed to 27 Fort street, above Quadra. Tel. 889.

BUY THE TIMES

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### FOR SALE—LOTS

FOR SALE—Choice business lot, about centre of Esquimalt, 75 ft. frontage on Esquimalt road car line, lane behind; ideal site for boarding house; new dry dock conveniently near; $2,750, terms to suit. Apply owner, Box 1060, Post Office. j16

TWO LOTS on Albany street, $800 each. Owner, J. E. McKenzie, 794 Hillside Ave. Phone 324. m27

SAANICH—Beautiful lots on Main street, overlooking sea, fine sandy beach, water laid on; $25 cash, balance 3 years, 6 per cent. McKillican, Sidney. Take V. & S. R. R. m27

4 NICE HIGH LOTS, near Burnside, 50x150 each, price $750 each, cash $250, balance easy; 1 level lot, facing dry dock, a business location, 55x132, price $3,350; 4 nice lots on Shakespeare, good location to build small houses, price $450 each, on easy terms; corner lot on Fernwood road, one of the best locations in the city, an opportunity for the builders, size 60x132, price $1,450, easy terms; new 5 roomed cottage, thoroughly modern, just completed, desirable location; a real bargain, price $3,400, cash $500, balance as rent. Bell Development Co., Ltd., real estate and financial agents, 116 Pemberton Block. Phone 2891. m23 tf

WILL SACRIFICE for quick sale, choice lot on Scott street, high and dry, for $450. Apply Box 406, Times. m23

OWNER is willing to erect a building to suit tenant on the adjoining half lot next to Chisholm and Carruthers, on View street, above Cook. Apply P. O. Box 525. m23

A GOOD INVESTMENT—2 fine, level lots, each 50x120, corner property, Fairfield Estate, for the two only $1,850, on terms. W. J. Cox, 1218 Langley St. m25

JAMES BAY DISTRICT—Special, large lot, 60x135, close to Parliament Buildings, price $1,900, terms easy. This is a fine buy. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort St. m25

HOTEL SITE—Central and very highly elevated, overlooks city, 200 ft. frontage, will sell cheap, need the money, easy terms. Investigate this. It's good for hotel or apartment site and better still for an investment. Address Box 431, Times Office. m25

OAK BAY DISTRICT—6 lots, close to Willows car line, opposite Victoria lawn tennis courts, at $750 each, size of each 50x120, with back lane. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort street. m25

A CHEAP BUY—Good, high lot on the mile circle for $600; adjoining lots held at $800; this lot can be had for $50 cash and $15 a month. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. m23

A REAL SNAP—A corner lot, close to Fernwood road, in Rockland Park, high situation, for $750. This is an excellent buy. Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton Block. m25

A GOOD BUILDING LOT, facing south, on the mile circle, high, and a beautiful view, price only $700; terms, $100 cash and $15 a month. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. m23

IMMEDIATE SALE—2 lots, David street, 1 lot, Hillside avenue, $3,000 the three. Apply Box 296, Times Office. m27

WANTED—Stop trifling with the sale of your Vancouver, South Vancouver, Point Grey, Victoria or Coquitlam vacant property. Decide selling price; send us full legal description. We guarantee results if price is right. Brown Bros., 412 Hastings street west, Vancouver, B. C. Phone 6178. m25

### HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

WANTED—Light housekeeping rooms, with gas, and close in, couple employed. Box 427, Times. m23

TO LET—Two housekeeping rooms. 1104 Yates street. m29

TO LET—Two nice, sunny, housekeeping rooms; no children. 318 Oswego St. m25

TO LET—Modern suite furnished rooms, gas stove and bath, hot and cold water. Carlton, 711 Pandora Ave. j1

HOUSEKEEPING, furnished rooms. Phone 1982, bath. Miss Grahame, 344 Michigan. m26

### SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

BOOKKEEPER, with thorough knowledge of double entry, latest methods, wishes permanent position; good references. L. T., 838 Pandora. j18

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly experienced, wishes situation, good typist and correspondent. Box 391, Times. m26

MAN AND WIFE, 31-33, English (no children), require position in any capacity, good gardener and trained nurse, good workers. 318 Royal avenue, New Westminster. m25

EXPERIENCED LUMBER BOOKKEEPER desires position, good local references, 10 years in B. C. Box 236, Times. m16

GOOD REAL ESTATE MAN desires position with firm on a salary and commission or salary basis. Box A2426, Times.

### WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To rent, or purchase on terms, house, about seven rooms, third or half acre land. Particulars, P. O. Drawer 1384, city. m23

WANTED—Two thousand dollars at seven per cent. for three years; security, first mortgage on new house and lot in Victoria. Box 269, Times. m25

WANTED—4 more pianoforte pupils; lovely music roll or tutor presented free, by first-class lady teacher. Box 52, Times. j1

## NOTICE

Take Notice that application will be made at the next meeting of the Board of Licencing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, for a Transfer of Licence to sell Wines, Spirits, and Fermented Liquors by retail, on the premises known as 1404 Douglas Street, Victoria, from ourselves as Executors of the late William Harrison, to Robert Harrison, one of the executors of said deceased.

Dated this Tenth day of May, 1911.

ROBERT HARRISON,
HENRY CATHCART,
Executors of the will of the late William Harrison.

### LAND ACT.

DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE III.

Take notice that Samuel G. Parker, of Bella Coola, occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of B. C. D. Co.'s Lot 257, on the west side of South Bentinck Arm, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains to timber chains, thence south and B. C. D. Co.'s Lot 149, lease 17206 east 80 chains more or less to the shore line of South Bentinck Arm, thence north 20 chains along the shore line to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

SAMUEL G. PARKER.
B. FILLIP JACOBSEN, Agent.
September 19th, 1910.

## Fine House Close In

SIX ROOMED MODERN DWELLING FOR SALE. OWNER LEAVING CITY

This residence was built a year ago. It is situated on the corner of Fisguard and Camosun streets. It has a large floored basement, two toilets, a large lawn. It is a block from new High School and two blocks from the old.

Price
**$4800**

For further particulars, telephone

**H. F. PULLEN**
Oak Bay Realty Office
2056 OAK BAY AVENUE
Phone F1605

### STREET LETTER BOXES

Letter-boxes will be found at the following points:

Washington.
Maywood.
Burnside.
Redding's (Victoria West).
Robinson's (Craigflower road)
Sub-office 5.
John and Bridge streets.
Hillside Ave. and Douglas street.
Douglas street and King's road.
King's road and Blanchard street.
Fernwood road and Gladstone Ave.
Caledonia Ave. and Chambers

# For the Picnic

PAPER DINNER SETS, LACE LEATHER TRAYS, PICNIC BASKETS, PICNIC PLATES, etc.

POTTED MEATS for sandwiches: Game, Ham, Chicken, Turkey, Anchovy Paste, Bloater Paste, Sardine Paste, Pate de Fois Gras, etc.

COLD COOKED MEATS, SALADS, MEAT PIES.

BREAD, CAKES OF ALL KINDS, FRUIT PIES, COOKIES, ETC.

PLAIN AND FANCY BISCUITS, an immense assortment.

PRESERVES: Midget Jars of Jam, Figs in Syrup, Preserved Figs, Dates, Prunes, etc.

FRESH FRUITS of all kinds: Oranges, Bananas, Grape Fruit, Apples, etc.

STORE CLOSED TO-MORROW.

**DIXI H. ROSS & CO.**

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Tels. 50, 51, 52. Liquor Dept. Tel. 1590.



**Snaps in Farms**

CLOSE TO VICTORIA—Steamer 3 hours: 165 acres, Otter Point, 10 acres cleared, 50 fruit trees, 1,500 strawberries, fishing, shooting, 30 acres rich bottom land, 75 grazing land, 3 miles from C. N. railway station, Sooke; cash $2,000 will handle this; price $6,000, balance over 2 years.

100 ACRES, Happy Valley, 5 cleared, balance timbered, running stream, railway runs through land, new 6 room house, new barn and chicken house, wagon, team, 2 cows, chickens, etc., fronts on road; $500 handles this; price $6,500, balance over 3 years.

10 ACRES, lovely Colwood, 4 room house, 5 head stock, chickens, etc., shortly have electric light and water, close to P. O., church and school, only $350 cash required; price $2,400, balance over 3 years.

5 ACRES, same locality, 4 room cottage with attic, all land slashed and burnt, price $3,000, terms.

10 ACRES, William Head, price $1,500; cash $1,000.

**The Exchange Real Estate Co., Ltd.**

718 Fort Street Phone 1737



**Davies & Sons**

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938 Fort Street

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Full Particulars Later.

MAYNARD & SON Auctioneers


SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Public Building, Cranbrook, B. C.," will be received until 4 p. m., on Monday, June 12, 1911, for the construction of a Public Building, Cranbrook, B. C.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the offices of Mr. Wm. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C., at the post office, Cranbrook, and at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 13, 1911.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

READ TIMES WANT ADS

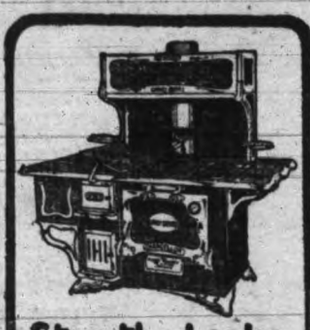

**The London Second-Hand Exchange Co.**

We pay the highest cash price for cast-off clothing, such as ladies' and gents' boots and shoes, hats, all kinds of tools, guns and pistols. All kinds of books bought.

STERN & FLASH,

1601 Store Street. Telephone 1123.





**Stop the Leaks in Your Coal Bill**

Use a **Gurney-Oxford** range and save 20 per cent. of your coal bill.

The "Chancellor" shown here is the finest steel range made by the well known **Gurney-Oxford** Company. There's **no better** to be had in the country. Made in more styles and sizes than any steel range on the market, with every late device for economy and convenience.

Material is the **best** to be had, inside and out. With or without reservoir on either end. Guard on ash door. Braced oven bottom. Drop door on warming closet. Divided oven flue, to insure even baking. Broiler top. Thermometer on oven door if desired. Made for coal or wood. **Besides** these special features—

**The OXFORD ECONOMIZER**

will keep your fire going at lowest possible cost for fuel. Will save at least 20 per cent. of the coal you now use and will take all cooking odors up the chimney.

You'll save money every day you use a Gurney-Oxford. And always get more satisfactory results from your cooking.

Let us demonstrate to you the "Economizer," and the other Gurney-Oxford points of superiority. See how perfect a good range can be. We will also show you other Gurney-Oxford stoves and ranges for every purpose and for any kind of fuel. On display on our floors all the time.

Get acquainted with the best known, best liked stoves and ranges in all Canada. And do it now—for the good of your pocketbook.

**DRAKE Hardware Company**

**1418 Douglas St.**

GURNEY-OXFORD



**PICNIC SEASON**

Is here and we append a few good suggestions. Fine things to have on hand, and priced right:

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| POTTED MEATS OR FISH, per glass | 20c |
| LAMBS' TONGUES, glass | 45c |
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# HIGH SCHOOL PLANS SATISFY THE BOARD

## Architect Watkins Explains the Designs for What Will Be Fine Building

As was expected, the plans for the new Spring Ridge high school were accepted by the trustees last night with practically no alteration of the original drawings of Architect C. E. Watkins. Some valuable suggestions were received from the members of the present high school staff, to whose inspection the plans were submitted. It was decided to give the architect power to obtain expert advice in the matter of the installation of a heating plant.

Mrs. Jenkins offered the suggestion that vacuum cleaning in a building such as the new high school would not only be desirable but economical. The architect was given orders to look into this matter also.

Mr. Watkins supplied the board with the following detailed description of the proposed building:—

"The building is designed with four main floors, the basement or ground floor being on a level with the ground, with entrances for both boys and girls from the front of the building. This floor contains the boys', girls' and teachers' lunch rooms, kitchen, bicycle rooms, armory and store rooms, also dressing rooms, locker rooms, and lavatories in connection with the gymnasium and for outside sports.

"The portion of the building under the assembly hall is occupied by the gymnasium on this floor and is also carried down to the level of the heating chambers in the sub-basement. The gymnasium will be 70 feet by 85 feet, with a running track level with the main basement floor.

"The main floor of the building is reached by four stairways from the basement or directly from the outside by the main front entrance and an entrance on each side of the building. On this floor are located the principal's office and reception room on one side of the main entrance and on the opposite side are located the male and female teachers' rooms with cloak rooms and private lavatories.

"Ten class rooms, to accommodate 30 pupils each, and space is provided at either end of the corridors for individual lockers for the pupils' clothing.

"The entrance to the main floor of the assembly hall is immediately in front of the main entrance to the building. The hall will have a seating capacity on this floor of 516, and will be provided with a large stage and dressing rooms.

"Four stairways lead from the main floor to the second floor on which is located 12 class rooms similar in size to those on the main floor, also a large, well lighted library is located on this floor over the main entrance. Lavatories and lockers are arranged similar to the lower floor.

"Entrance to the balcony of the assembly hall is also from this floor, which will seat about 300.

"The third floor contains the chemical and physical laboratories, together with a lecture room in connection with each, also the necessary apparatus rooms, etc., freehand and mechanical drawing, commercial and typewriting rooms and five class rooms, together with lavatories and lockers similar to the other floors.

"The corridors throughout the building are wide, direct and well lighted and the four stairways to each floor are so distributed as to avoid any congestion.

"The construction of the building will be strictly fireproof throughout.

"The heating and ventilation is so designed that an ample supply of fresh, warm air will be provided for all of the pupils, also all of the class rooms are so arranged as to receive direct sunlight during at least a portion of the day.

"The heating plant will be located in a sub-basement, the heat being distributed to the various upright stacks through galvanized iron ducts which are to be located in a pipe tunnel, so as to avoid obstructing and disfiguring the main basement ceiling.

"The exterior of the building is designed in a simple but pleasing manner, the lower story being constructed of cut stone and the three upper storeys of pressed brick with cut stone trimmings. An effort has been made to so design the building as to present an attractive elevation to each of the four fronts."


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## The Advance Man

"The Barrier."

Of "The Barrier," which comes to the Victoria theatre on Wednesday evening, the Portland Oregonian says: "The play was rendered especially typical of ideal scenic environment of the heraldry of the Indians, the log-hewn homes and the typical vistas of the wild. In this story of the soldier's love for the girl; of the supposed barrier of alien blood as the daughter of a squaw-man, the heart-breaking barrier to the union, is most graphically told. And when it turns out that she is not the squawman's daughter, then every barrier fades away.

"In the case of 'The Barrier,' the rugged characters have literally leaped from between the covers of the book to confront the auditor as the living, breathing prototypes of the rugged figures so vividly portrayed by the author of this romance of the far north. Thus to this powerful narrative is added the realism of the central figures blending in plot and counterplot as the histrionic warp and woof of a perfect stage fabric. Surely Miss Barham was the original Necia, the nymph-like creature of the northern wilds, so desired by the proud Captain Burrell, whom Norval MacGregor essayed so cleverly and so convincingly. And who, pray, could have carried away this bereft child from the tragic scene of a suddenly orphaned home unless it be this lion-hearted Gale of the Mr. Chapman conception? Mr. Chapman played the role of the squawman with a fidelity that would bring warm praise from the author. Space forbids an extended writeup, but we must give tribute to Miss Meade's artistry in her characterization of Alluna, the faithful squaw; also to Mr. Layton, as Dan Stark, the panther-like, devil-may-care adventurer. He gave this difficult role a most excellent handling. Mr. Cleveland elicited warm praise for his sterling portraiture of the generous hearted Poleon Doret, whose first thought is for the welfare of others."

"The Yankee Girl."

It is always a pleasure to record the coming of a good theatrical attraction, for such assuredly is "The Yankee Girl," with the clever star Blanche Ring, who will be here very shortly as she is just concluding a two weeks' engagement in San Francisco, where theatregoers have taken her to their hearts, and given her a welcome accorded few stars.

Miss Ring has stock-in-trade in her personality to start with, but if any one thinks she trades on that they would be very much mistaken, as she is one of the most painstaking of stars, and gives her audiences full return for their expenditures, both in the quality of her own efforts and that of her company also, and there is no shirking where she is concerned.

It is not a very easy matter to roll off witticisms and sing songs without a grand opera voice, and keep people out in front not only interested and amused but enthused as well, but this is just what Miss Ring does, and, in fact, does more than that when she has almost her entire audience singing with her. How do you suppose she accomplishes this? Simply by her natural rollicking geniality and good humor and her cheery manner.

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